

The Baptist Record

"THY KINGDOM COME"

OLD SERIES—VOLUME 64

Jackson, Miss., Thursday, March 22, 1951

NEW SERIES—VOLUME 31—NO. 12

THE HOUR HAS ARRIVED

By DR. C. E. MATTHEWS

The caption of this article has been used throughout history to summon men to action in hours of destiny. We can say, without fear of contradiction, that the movement and the cause to which it is applied in this article are just, extremely necessary, and definitely timely. We refer to the simultaneous revival in the Southern Baptist churches east of the Mississippi River, March 25-April 8.

The entire Christian constituency in this world is thoroughly convinced that the human race is now threatened by a devastating world movement of atheism. It is the opinion of multitudes of godly men and women that this threat on the part of satanic forces is God's challenge to Christians everywhere to prove to the world the truthfulness of the sayings of Christ when He declared, "Verily, verily, I say unto you, He that believeth on me, the work that I do shall he do also" (John 14:12).

"The Hour Has Arrived" for Southern Baptists as we unitedly enter into a simultaneous revival effort in more than 18,000 churches. We will make our contribution along with other spiritual forces in this world. "The Hour Has Arrived" because:

First, the effort is **PSYCHOLOGICALLY TIMED**.

It comes when great fear rages in the hearts of people of all races, and it offers to everyone the only hope of peace and good will among men.

Second, the program is **SCRIPTURALLY SOUND**.

It is Christ centered and church centered. It includes a great unified program of conservation of new converts. It includes both mass and personal (Continued on Page Four)

Foreign Board Honors Martyred Missionary

RICHMOND, Va.—A recognition service for Dr. William L. Wallace, medical missionary who died in a Chinese Communist prison on Feb. 10, was held by the Southern Baptist Foreign Mission Board at its headquarters here.

Dr. M. Theron Rankin, board executive secretary, said that details surrounding Dr. Wallace's death in Wuchow were still incomplete. He added, however, it was "entirely possible that inadequate protection from disease and exposure to extreme weather during his 53 days in prison may have brought about illness."

The Southern Baptist missionary was arrested by Communists on Dec. 19 while serving as superintendent of the Stout Memorial Hospital in Wuchow. Two days after his death, Miss Everley Hayes, Southern Baptist missionary nurse still in Wuchow, was permitted to go to the prison and receive the body, which was buried that same day in the local Christian cemetery.

The irrefutable quality of Dr. Wallace's love made it imperative that the Communists get rid of him. His life refuted everything the Communists said. They have tried to get rid of the witness of Bill's life. But that is precisely where (Continued on Page Two)

Denial Of School Aid Is Totalitarian Says Catholic Editor

(Editor's Note: In other words if you oppose Federal aid for Catholic schools you are a Communist, or worse, if you are to believe Mr. Doyle.)

Sydney, Australia —(NC)— A government educational policy which denies funds to any but public schools is plainly totalitarian, Brian Doyle, Catholic editor, declared in a radio address on a Protestant program here.

Mr. Doyle is associate editor of *The Catholic Weekly* of Sydney.

Denial of public funds to non-public schools, Mr. Doyle declared, "reeks of Stalinism, Hitlerism and Mussoliniism. It conflicts with the United Nations Declaration on Human rights, in which an (Continued on Page Four)

Church Papers Face Heavy Postage Increases

WASHINGTON, D. C. —(RNS)— An increase in postal rates which would double mailing costs for church papers is asked in bills introduced by Sen. Olin D. Johnston (D-S.C.), and Rep. Thomas Murray (D-Tenn.). Hearings are scheduled to begin soon.

A protest has already come from a spokesman for the National Lutheran Council.

Dr. Robert E. Van Deusen, Washington secretary of its division of public relations, said "in some church papers this will bring a threat of insolvency; to larger publishing houses a crippling increase in mailing costs."

The increase which will hit church papers hardest is one doubling the rate on second class postage, under which

most of them are mailed. The amount of increase would be 50 per cent, effective immediately, followed by 25 per cent increases in each of the next two years.

Also hitting religious groups hard will be a proposed doubling of the rate on postcards and of third-class (one-cent pre-cancelled) mail. Both would be raised to two cents.

Many churches use the one-cent pre-cancelled rate for mailing their church bulletins, parish young people's papers, and other regular announcements. Churches and religious organizations also are heavy users of postcards in notifying their membership of meetings, church suppers, and other special events.

Rates on books, Sunday school literature, and other printed matter also will face heavy increases if the legislation passes Congress.

Postmaster General Jesse M. Donaldson has told Congress that the increases are necessary to meet a \$950,000,000 a year post office deficit.

Editor's Note: A large part of the deficit about which Postmaster General Donaldson complains would be wiped out if:

1. The amount of free mail sent out by Congressmen and Senators was taken into account;

2. If the various departments paid postage on their millions of pieces of mail.

We are not complaining about the mail but do object to raising the rate on the Baptist Record to take care of government mail that is sent free.

3. Much could be saved if some of the subsidies to airlines were reduced.

4. It probably would help if the rates paid railroads were investigated. (The rate is fixed by the Interstate Commerce Commission.) (Continued on Page Four)

Southern Seminaries To Admit Negroes

LOUISVILLE, Ky. —(RNS)— Southern Baptist Theological Seminary here will admit Negro students for the first time in September.

Two other Baptist seminaries in the South also will open their doors to Negroes. They are Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary at Fort Worth, Texas, and the Baptist Theological Seminary in New Orleans.

This action will enable Negroes to enroll as regular members of the student body. Previously, a number of them had received instruction, but their studies were carried on either in the offices of professors or off campus.

Seminary authorities said the new policy was adopted because "legal barriers have been removed and because of the urgent need of adequate seminary training for Negro Baptist students who are at present deprived of proper theological education." (Continued on Page Four)



The Easter season should remind all of us of the comforting thought that Christ died for our sins. May every Sunday be Easter.



SBC PROGRAM RELEASED

Governors Warren to Welcome and Respond

Dr. J. D. Grey, chairman of the Committee on Order of Business for the Southern Baptist Convention, San Francisco, June 20-24, has released the program suggested by his committee. B. B. McKinney will direct the music. The theme will be "The Whole Gospel for the Whole World."

Baptist Governor Earl Warren of California will welcome. Baptist Governor Fuller Warren of Florida will respond. Dr. C. Roy Angell, Florida, will bring the Convention Sermon with Clarence W. Cranford, D. C. as alternate. Other special speakers will be Rev. Charles Wellborn, Dr. F. Townley Lord, Dr.

Louie D. Newton, Dr. H. H. Hobbs, Dr. Wallace Bassett, Dr. W. R. White, Howard Eutt, Dr. Robert G. Lee, and Dr. W. A. Criswell. Evangelistic service on Sunday night will climax the Convention.

Only one resident of Mississippi is scheduled to have a part on the program. Dr. S. R. Woodson, pastor of the First Church, Columbus, will lead the devotional at the opening session on Wednesday morning.

Several native Mississippians will have parts on the program. Among them are: Dr. S. G. Posey, Calif.; Dr. Duke K. McCall, Tenn.; Dr. Merrill D. Moore, (Continued on Page Two)

On Your Mark! Get Set! Go!

By CHESTER L. QUARLES
Executive Secretary

The long anticipated—long prayed for—long worked for revival is here! Next Sunday thousands of churches will begin evangelistic campaigns in every Baptist association east of the Mississippi River. How much prayer has been engaged in, how many hours of conferences have taken place, how many meetings and rallies have been conducted, how much publicity has been written, how much correspondence dictated, typed or written, only God knows.

The Evangelistic Crusade had its inception years ago. I suppose God put it in the heart of Dr. C. E. Matthews, Southwide Secretary of Evangelism, first of all. Many hearts have responded to the challenge of its power and possibilities. Unquestionably this event has received more cooperation than anything ever to happen before in our Southern Baptist Convention life.

The states of the Southern Baptist Convention territory east of the Mississippi River were organized. Associations elected chairmen of evangelism at least two years ago (and we pray that these offices in the associations shall be permanent). Last year each association was urged to set up a complete organization for the Crusade. The Southern Baptist Program of Evangelism by C. E. Matthews has been used widely and effectively to chart the course for the preparations and planning. It is the best book on evangelism our denomination ever produced.

NOW WHAT?

It remains now for every evangelist to "preach his heart out." The messages must be plain gospel messages from hearts filled with white-hot convictions. The services must be great services. Great in spirit! Great in singing! Great in prayer! Great in preaching! Great in heart appeal! Great in concern!

PERSONAL WITNESSING

The pastor and the evangelist can

not do it all. They, along with the "singer" can do much but they can not do it all. Every member must accept the personal responsibility to win souls if the Crusade is to have maximum success. The results of the census must be carefully evaluated. Every prospect must be visited, not once but several times. Teams of visitors should go visiting every day. Men should visit before and after every evening service.

WHY?

Why all this planning? Why all this preaching and praying? Why all this publicity? Why all this work? I suppose the answer to those questions could not better be given than to call attention to the famous poem written several years ago by Dr. E. P. Aldredge.

World Need! World Need! World Need!
How we feel, dear God, the full urge of it;

And the swing and the swirl and the surge of it,
The distress of it, the dire press of it;
And the pall and the thrall and the call
That comes from the great and the small.

World Need! World Need! World Need!
How we feel, dear God, the dread chill of it,

And the dearth and the death and debt of it;
The vast sweep of it, and the great deep of it;

And the wear and the tear and the care,
That breaks now the sad hearts everywhere!

World Need! World Need! World Need!
We thank thee, dear God, for the chance of it,

For the reach and the risk and the romance of it;
The high hope of it,
The strong cope of it;

For the way and the sway and the stay
That comes now for the task of today.

Foreign Board Honors

(Continued from Page One)

they will fall. Bill Wallace's witness of God's love in Christ has been made immortal. Communism will beat itself to pieces against the indestructible strength of such love. . .

At the recognition service, Dr. Rankin said: "Whatever the immediate cause of his death may have been, Dr. Wallace's name must be added to the long list of those who through the centuries have become martyrs of their love to Christ and to men."

KNOXVILLE, Tenn.—(RNS)—Broadway Baptist Church here will name its new education building the William Wallace Memorial Building in honor of the 42-year-old Southern Baptist medical missionary who died while he was being held in prison by the Chinese Communists.

Dr. Wallace attended Broadway Baptist Church for years and the church paid his salary all the time that he was in Wuchow, where he was superintendent of Stout Memorial Hospital. His death occurred in that city on February 10. He was arrested and imprisoned by the Communists last December.

The Board received a Hong Kong report from its secretary for the Orient, Dr. Baker James Cauthen; that 17 Americans were under arrest in Communist China, and that the nine Southern Baptist missionaries remaining in that country have applied for exit permits.

"Most missionaries in China are now applying for an exit permit," he wrote. The China Inland Mission is evacuating its entire staff of 600 missionaries and their 200 children.

"Northern Presbyterians (Presbyterian Church, U. S. A.) have about 40 missionaries in China. Northern Baptists (American Baptist Convention) still have a group in West China. Conservative Baptists have about 20 in the extreme western province of Sikang.

"As far as we know, all these are planning to come away."

—BR—

SBC Program Released

(Continued from Page One)

Tenn.; Dr. G. S. Dobbins, Ky.; Dr. R. Q. Leavell, La.; Dr. C. D. Johnson, Texas; Dr. J. B. Lawrence, Ga.; Dr. James W. Middleton, Ga.; Dr. J. Norris Palmer, La.; Dr. T. L. Holcomb, Tenn.

The opening session will begin at ten o'clock on Wednesday morning, June 20. Morning, afternoon and evening sessions will be held on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. No session will be held on Saturday afternoon. On Saturday night a giant Youth Rally will be held. Dr. G. Kearnie Keegan, secretary of the Baptist Student Union Department will be in charge.

On Sunday afternoon a Christian Home Service directed by Dr. Joe W. Burton, editor of Home Life, will be held.

The closing session will be held on Sunday night with a Training Union Program directed by Dr. J. E. Lambdin, secretary, Training Union Department.

The finale will be an evangelistic service under the direction of Dr. C. E. Matthews, superintendent of evangelism, Home Mission Board. The sermon will be delivered by Dr. W. A. Criswell, pastor of the First Church, Dallas.

—BR—

DR. ROBERT ERNEST NAYLOR, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Columbia, South Carolina, will speak on the Columbia Church of the Air broadcast on Sunday morning, March 25. Music for the program will be by the choir of his church.

SUNDAY SCHOOL AND TRAINING UNION ATTENDANCE

March 18, 1951

West Laurel	189	121
Laurel, Second Ave.	104	4
Hattiesburg, Main St.	335	269
Jackson, Southside	2	2
Jackson, Northside	389	132
Jackson, Crestwood	504	346
Jackson, Daniel Memorial	377	194
Jackson, Eastside	108	55
Jackson, Calvary	1,193	317
Mission	21	21
Jackson, Van Winkle	327	193
Antioch (Neshoba County)	50	41
Mt. Zion (Lincoln County)	106	51
Bogue Chitto (Pike County)	71	53
Calvary (Amite County)	71	77
Brookhaven, Pearlhaven	211	165
Bethlehem (Jones County)	52	84
McComb, Locust Street	37	
East Moss Point	195	46
Friendship (Pike County)	159	86
Forest Hill (Hinds County)	199	199
Kosciusko, First	541	141
Bruce	247	86
Calhoun City, First	262	119
Sharon (Jones County)	47	117
Moak's Creek (Lincoln County)	142	83
Lucedale	210	91
Bethel (Pearl River County)	95	75
Friendship (Lincoln County)	71	67
Fair River (Lincoln County)	111	73
New Prospect (Lincoln County)	169	127
Greenwood (Pike County)	48	40
Camp Ground (Yalobusha County)	81	55
Greenville, Second	318	166
Gulfport, First	745	190
Brookhaven, First	1,009	421
Main School	814	278
Hamilton St. Chapel	78	54
Central Chapel	117	89
Harrisburg, Tupelo	501	189
Columbus, First	800	303
Houlka (Chickasaw County)	85	48
Louisville, First	401	145
East Louisville	100	66
Columbus, East End	195	96
Union Chapel (Chickasaw County)	67	63
Houston, First	207	96
Pascagoula, First	854	258
Main School	580	152
Eastlawn Mission	67	35
Unity Mission	93	54
Orange Grove	38	17
McArthur Mission	27	
Jackson Ave. Mission	49	
Meridian, First	455	117
Meridian, Highland	300	159
Meridian, 15th Ave.	261	99
Meridian, 8th Ave.	250	71
Meridian, 41st Ave.	175	82
Meridian, Oak Grove	85	71
Jackson, First	1,111	428
Broadmoor	88	36
Harmony	48	61

March 11, 1951

Friendship (Lincoln County)	89	64
Salem (Lauderdale County)	79	76
Columbus, East End	227	98
Moak's Creek (Lincoln County)	135	91
Union (Alcorn County)	54	65
Calhoun City, First	253	96

—BR—

THE HOUSTON CHURCH, REV. Wm. G. Watson, Pastor, has purchased new office equipment including an A. B. Dick mimeograph machine, and has employed Mrs. Bill Hill as part-time secretary. Mrs. Hill is also counselor for the Young People's Union and is active in the W. M. U. and Choir.



PLANNING MEETING—Representatives of three seminaries and leaders of of Baptist Student Union recently met in Nashville, to plan for a systematic course of training for Baptist Student Union secretaries. Courses will soon be offered in the seminaries training young people especially for service on college campuses. Dr. Kearnie Keegan, secretary of the BSU department, was in charge of the conference. Seated, from left to right, Dr. J. O. Williams, Dr. T. L. Holcomb, Dr. G. Kearnie Keegan, Dr. Gaines S. Dobbins, Dr. Roland Q. Leavell, Dr. E. D. Head. Standing, from left to right, Dr. C. J. Allen, William Hall Preston, Othal Feather, Wayne Oates, Dr. J. M. Price, John Durst, Findley Edge, Miss Estelle Slater, John Price, Robert S. Denny. —BP Photo.

GOWNS

• Pulpit and Choir •
Headquarters for
RELIGIOUS SUPPLIES

Church Furniture • Stoles
Embroideries • Vestments
Wangings • Communion
Sets • Altar Dress Goods

National

189	121
100	4
335	269
389	132
504	346
377	194
108	55
193	317
21	21
327	193
50	41
106	51
71	53
71	77
211	105
52	84
37	
195	46
159	86
199	199
541	141
247	86
262	119
47	117
142	83
210	91
95	75
71	67
111	73

169	127
48	40
81	55
318	166
745	190
1,009	421
814	278
78	54
117	89
501	189
800	303
85	48
401	145
100	66
195	96

67	63
207	96
854	258
580	152
67	35
93	54
38	17
49	
455	117
300	159
261	99
250	71
175	82
85	71
1,111	428
88	36
48	61
89	64
79	76
227	98

135	91
54	65
253	96

REV. Wm. chased new an A. B. and has em-time secre-unselor for and is active

S
their
or
PLIES
Stoles
ments
union
eds in

Thursday, March 22, 1961

THE BAPTIST RECORD

3

The Baptist Record

Published Every Thursday by the
Mississippi Baptist Convention Board
Baptist Building, Jackson 105 Miss.
A. L. GOODRICH, D.D., Editor
MRS. CLIFTON NETTLES, Editorial Asst.
Subscription: \$1.50 a year payable in
advance

Entered as second-class matter April 4,
1918 at the Post Office at Jackson, Miss.,
under the Act of October 3, 1911.
Obituaries and Obituary Resolutions—
The first 200 words free all other words
one cent each. Memorials and resolutions
are one cent per word.

Advertisements—Rates upon request.
Announcements of open dates by evange-
lists and singers and others \$1.00 per
insertion

Advertising Representatives—Jacobs
List Inc. Clinton, S. C.
Southern Publishers Representatives,
Jackson, Mississippi
Member

Southern Baptist Press Association
The Associated Church Press
The Evangelical Press Association
Baptist Record Advisory Committee
Dr. W. Douglas Hudgins, Jackson,
Chairman
Mrs. J. A. Anderson, Belmont
Rev. Joe Abrams, Shuqualak
Purser Hewitt, Jackson
Rev. J. H. Street, Laurel

We do not use unsigned communications

Christ Is Risen

Because the spring time is a
time of resurrection for the world
of nature and because the
thoughts of many will turn in-
evitably to thoughts of the resur-
rection at the Easter season, we,
too, are thinking of the meaning
of the resurrection.

We would not think of Easter
as a time for new clothes and
adornment of the body. Nor
would we think of Easter as a
time for an annual pilgrimage to
church.

The world, whether Christian
or pagan, bond or free, atheistic
or agnostic, liberal or conserva-
tive, cannot get away from the
fact of the Lord's death. Sec-
ular history as well as the Holy
Scriptures substantiate the fact of
His death. His death and His res-
urrection were predicted. His
death came at a time when the
world was in one of the darkest
periods of history. The dying for
others was not the first nor the
last instance of a person's laying
down his life for others.

Christ's death was but a part
of God's plan for the world. His
resurrection was the crowning of
God's Love for a lost world. Christ
is the only person who ever arose
from the dead. Christ, dying on
a cross, and buried in a borrowed
tomb, with Roman guards sta-
tioned at the grave, was triumph-
ant over death. He overcame the
darkness of the grave and through
His victory, we, too, have victory
over death. The darkness of the
grave is brightened by the Light
of His resurrection.

Christians, through faith, have
an assurance that others do not
have. But God's love would in-
clude all the world, and will in-
clude every individual who trusts



Take care, lest you
lose these Keys~

in Him. In none other is there
salvation.

For Christians every Lord's
Day is a commemoration of the
resurrection of Jesus. Every Sun-
day with its opportunities for wor-
ship should remind us of the joy
of our Christian faith and that
Christ is a risen and living Lord.

To all who read these lines we
recommend a growing faith in
our Lord—the risen Lord, who
not only is at the right hand of
the Father, but whose Holy Spirit
dwells within us. To you who
know Him not, we commend to
you our Saviour, the risen Christ.
Let His Victory become Victory
for you through your faith in Him
at this resurrection season, for
CHRIST THE LORD IS RISEN.

—BR—

A Worthy Cause

Last week's issue of the Baptist
Record carried the saddening
news of the tragic death of Rev.
and Mrs. Glenn Crawford. Two
small children are left. One is in
a serious condition in the hospital
and may or may not recover.

As far as possible the word was
passed around to churches and
friends that instead of flowers a
gift of money would be more
appropriate. Therefore many sent
money instead of flowefs. The
plan is to establish an endow-
ment fund for the surviving
daughter or daughters to be used
for their education.

Already several people, as well
as churches, that have heard
about the plan, have made dona-
tions to this worthy cause. May
we suggest that a good place to
put a few dollars would be to
send it to this fund, which is to
be used in later years for the
education of these two children.

Contributions for this purpose
may be sent to Dr. F. M. Purser,
Oxford, or Rev. Howard H. Ault-
man, Holly Springs.

—BR—

Calling All Baptists

Within a few days your church
will join with thousands of
churches in the South in a
Simultaneous Evangelistic Cru-
sade. I am sure you want this pro-
gram to succeed. I am taking the

liberty of suggesting to you the
only way in which it can be suc-
cessful in your church.

Perhaps you have invited some-
one to help your pastor with the
preaching. If so, I am sure he will
do his prayerful best. Your own
noble pastor will also do his pray-
erful best. But neither of these
nor both of them together can
guarantee the success of your
meeting. Its success, under God,
depends upon you, the men and
women of the pew.

If you, the members of your
church, do your part, the meet-
ing will succeed. If you fail, the
meeting will fail also.

May I suggest to you a few
simple things, well within your
ability, which if you do them will
guarantee a successful meeting in
your church?

1. Pray for the meeting daily.
There can be no success without
united, earnest prayer. Pray for
the meeting daily. Pray individual-
ly and in groups. Each time there
is a gathering of a class, a circle,
a group of friends, spend a while
praying for your meeting. "These
all continued with one accord in
prayer." (Acts 1:14), and Pente-
cost came.

These words come from the
giftful pen of a prominent
Southern Baptist, Dr. Ryland
Knight, who now lives at Sun-
shine Manor, Apopka, Fla.

2. Attend the meeting. For the
two weeks of your meeting give it
first place in your plans. Put
off other things until a later date.
refuse to make engagements that
interfere with the meeting. You
can at least be present. Anybody
can do that.

3. Be enthusiastic about the
meeting. There is no success with-
out enthusiasm. This is true of
sports, business, politics, religion.
Why should your meeting be dull
and drab? It should be vibrant
with enthusiasm.

4. Invite people to your meet-
ing. You and the other members
of your church should see to it
that every person in your com-
munity is invited to attend your
evangelistic services.

5. Better still, bring them to the
meeting. Call some one who does

not attend church, or who is not
attending these services, and say:
"I'd like to have you go with me
to our church tonight. I believe
you will enjoy the services. I'll
be by for you at seven o'clock."

6. Most important of all, seek
to win them to Christ. Vastly more
people are won to Christ by indi-
vidual personal invitation than by
all our sermons. Go out two and
two and ask your friends and
neighbors to accept and trust your
Christ. Go at supper time when
you will find them at home. Ask
them to come this very night and
confess their faith in Him. You
can do it if you will. And God will
own and bless your trying.

All six of these are simple things
which each of you can do. But on
your doing of them the success of
your meeting depends.

—BR—

Tip To Liquor Crowd

Editor Marse Grant of Charity
and Children, makes an excellent
suggestion to the liquor industry.
Here it is:

Why not start a series of "men
of distinction" articles on some of
your wholesale-dealers and dis-
tributors? Or would it prove to
be too embarrassing? Senator Ke-
fauver of Tennessee who has done
considerable crime investigating
lately says there are numerous
ex-convicts and gangsters now be-
ing employed by your industry in
those capacities. On second
thought, a series like that couldn't
be sponsored by the whiskey mak-
ers—there would be too much
truth in it and that wouldn't do!

—BR—

Our Readers Write

Dear Editor:

A one sentence description of Rev.
Glenn Crawford, who was killed with
Mrs. Crawford in an automobile acci-
dent, was given by one who attended
his church: "Even the little children
loved him."

"When I first received the message
that Glenn Crawford was dead, I didn't
see how I could go on," said Dr. F. M.
Purser, pastor of the First Church of
Oxford in the funeral address. "He
has taken much of the burden of the
work off my shoulders."

Rev. Howard Ultman, their pastor
of Holly Springs, says that even old
men walked around the scene of the
accident because of the death of two
who found such a warm place in their
hearts.

Glenn Crawford graduated from Mis-
sissippi College and attended New Or-
leans Seminary. While in Mississippi
College he was awarded the Trotter
and Wallace Medals in oratorical con-
tests. Though he had many talents and
excelled in making friends, his throne
was the pulpit. —L. S. POLK, Jackson.

The President
The White House
Washington 25, D. C.
My Dear Mr. President:

As a pastor who served over five years
in the Nation's Capitol and who has
talked with you personally on several oc-
casions, I am amazed and appalled at
the published statement that the United
(Continued on Page Four)

New Faculty Elections Announced



DR. HENLEE H. BARNETTE

LOUISVILLE, Ky. —(BP)— Following a meeting of the Board of Trustees of Southern Baptist Theological Seminary on March 13, Erwin L. McDonald, publicity director of the seminary, announced the election of Edward A. McDowell as head of the Department of New Testament Interpretation. Leo T. Crismon was elected librarian.

Claud U. Broach, pastor of St. John's Baptist Church, Charlotte, N. C., was elected associate professor of preaching. Also elected was J. Estill Jones, assistant professor of New Testament interpretation, and Henlee H. Barnette, from the staff of Stetson University, was elected associate professor of sociology and Christian ethics.

The committee of the trustees to nominate a president had no nomination to make. Gaines S. Dobbins, now serving as interim president, will continue in this position.

The next meeting of the trustees will be at the Southern Baptist Convention in June.

—BR—

Our Readers Write

(Continued from Page Three)

States Army purchased almost \$10,000,000 worth of beer for men serving overseas in 1950.

I believe, Mr. President, that one of these days before long the patience of fine, godly, Christian men and women all over the Nation will run out. I believe further that the patience of God will run out and it will be vain for us to call upon Him to bless us as a Nation while we pursue such tactics. It is difficult enough for people to send their sons and husbands to war without knowing that our own Government is making drunkards out of them.

It has been said that in countries such as Korea only polluted water is available to drink. The implication is that it is a choice between polluted water or beer. Every one of us with an ounce of common sense knows that there are scores of soft drinks available and that many of our boys prefer them to beer.

Beer is not, and never has been, essential to the morale of our armed forces. It is an alcoholic beverage and is definitely harmful. The case history of thousands of alcoholics testifies to the fact that the drinking of beer very frequently leads to the drinking of hard liquor.

Mr. President, there are millions of us who are loyal citizens and who will gladly sacrifice for the defense and welfare of our Nation but we greatly resent the fact that our tax money is being used to the detriment of our young men and women and to the dishonor of our Lord.

As Commander-in-Chief of the Armed Forces of our Nation it is within your power to put a stop to this abominable practice immediately.

Humbly and prayerfully, as a Christian and a citizen I am asking that you give the most serious consideration to a mat-



DR. J. ESTILL JONES



DR. CLAUD U. BROACH

Southwestern Graduates Cited For Heroism

Two Southwestern Seminary graduates, both Army chaplains, have been commended for heroism under fire in Korea, according to the office of the Chief of Chaplains in Washington.

First Lieutenant Deyo J. Williams, 1949 graduate, was commended for the religious program he conducted nightly, first on board the ship carrying the 10th Engineer Battalion to Korea and later on shore. The citation stated that the program was "enthusiastically received by officers and enlisted men alike."

Captain Michael E. Reynolds, 1940 graduate, was cited for his service with the 31st Infantry Division in the bitter fighting below Suwon. His work was termed "outstanding."

ter which is an offense to so many of our fellow-citizens and an insult to the God in Whom we put our trust.

Sincerely yours,
K. OWEN WHITE

—BR—

To Our Many Friends:

I wish to express my deepest gratitude and thanks for every expression of sympathy, for every gift of any nature, and most of all for every prayer offered in our behalf during the past weeks while my husband was so seriously ill.

Though we are sad, along with many others, at his passing, our hearts are made to rejoice at the many kind expressions of Christian love and kindness on the part of so many.

MRS. VOLLEY PATTERSON
Terry

BAPTIST STUDENT UNION

Box 530 — Phone 2-1600 — Jackson
CHAS. W. HORNER, Secretary MRS. CHARLES BINGHAM, Office Secretary

POTPOURRI

A dictaphone, a wire recorder, a movie camera and a movie projector are pieces of equipment your Sec'y believes would help him in doing a more effective work among Mississippi's Baptist students, in case any Baptist is wondering how he might help in special financial ways in the Lord's work. . . We are praying that the Holy Spirit will use the pastor and people and us in the meeting at Phillip, beginning Sunday, and that during the Evangelistic Crusade all over the South, east of the Mississippi River, many genuine conversions will take place. . . The Focus Weeks, held simultaneously at Blue Mtn. and at Clarke, were great blessings and accomplished much good to the glory of Christ. Both teams rendered wonderful service. Space forbids the details and words are inadequate to express the good done. . . Ten were in attendance at State Council recently where fine fellowship was enjoyed and final plans for Retreat at Co-Lin were made. . . One of the best

blessings received in a long time came when we were privileged to join Pastor S. R. Woodson, the Columbus people, Student Sec'y Gwen Boyett and the MSCW girls in the dedication of their beautiful J. D. Franks Baptist Student Center. How we pray that other college pastors and people will show such manifest interest in college students. . . 175 girls attended Y. W. A. House Party at Woman's College where Bible Study has recently been stressed. . . Ole Miss has already raised \$21 for Student Summer Missions. . . 27 unsaved are reported from E. Centraf Jr., 8 from Pearl River Jr. At latter, one girl recently dedicated her life for full-time Christian service, Rev. Joe Abrams spoke at Morning Watch, a program of visitation is underway with good results already. . . Holmes Jr. students and faculty gave \$104.77 to the Lord's causes last month. . . 175 belong to the local church and 141 tithed from Blue Mtn. student body where 2 are unsaved and 90 is the average attendance at noonday prayer meeting. . .

Denial Of School Aid

(Continued from Page One)

article specifically states that parents have the right to choose the type of education their children will receive."

The only logical opponents of government financing of all recognized schools are communists, rationalists, atheists, materialists, secularists and nihilists, the Catholic editor stated, "In other words, a motley collection whose common denominator is opposition towards God, Christ, the church, the natural and moral law," he added.

Apart from the "plain bigotry and ignorance," Mr. Doyle said, "opposition to federal aid to non-public schools stems from the feeling that such aid means subsidizing religion."

—BR—

Church Papers Face

(Continued from Page One)

state Commerce Commission and not by the Post Office Department.)

When similar legislation was considered by Congress last year, suggestions were made by several members that non-profit institutions be exempted from the postage rate increase, at least on their local mailings. However, since the legislation never reached the floor for debate, the suggestions were not put in concrete terms.

There is no provision in the current bills to exempt non-profit institutions from any of the proposed rate increases.

—BR—

Southern Seminaries

(Continued from Page One)

ological education." (Editor's Note: In addition to the above information the editor of the Baptist Record is in receipt of the following telegrams:

"Trustees voted on February 13 to admit qualified Negroes to graduate department candidates for Master of Theology and Doctor of Theology Degrees. —Roland Q. Leavell, New Orleans Seminary."

"Yes on the degree level. Dr. Dobbins is preparing a statement for Baptist Press. —E. D. Head, Southwestern Seminary."

"Trustees of all three seminaries have voted admission of carefully selected Negro students with college degrees. —G. S. Dobbins, Southern Seminary."

The Hour Has Arrived

(Continued from Page One)

evangelism, with emphasis upon evangelistic preaching by preachers and personal witnessing on the part of all church members.

Third, the movement is SPIRIT-LED.

There is no glorifying of human personalities. Its heralding cry, CHRIST IS THE ANSWER, comes from the Holy Spirit.

Fourth, it is ALL-INCLUSIVE on the part of Southern Baptist agencies — Southwide, state-wide, and in the local church.

Painstaking and far-reaching preparation on the part of all states involved has engendered a momentum, the like of which has probably never been excelled in denominational history.

Fifth, this revival will DETERMINE ETERNAL DESTINES of multiplied thousands of souls.

Only God knows how many men, women, and children will spend eternity in heaven above instead of hell beneath because of it.

Surely, "The Hour Has Arrived" for every Baptist to have a part in the greatest soul-winning effort of the century. Its tremendous importance deserves nothing less than our best as Baptists.

Make April 22

"Subscribe to

The Commission
Sunday"

in your church. One year,

\$1.00; three years, \$2.00.

Write for subscription blanks

Box 5148 Richmond, Va.

Thursday, March 22, 1951

S'wide Foundation Elects Officers

At the recent meeting of the Directors of the Southern Baptist Foundation the following officers were elected to serve for the next year:

President—L. L. Gellerstedt, executive vice-president, the Citizens and Southern National Bank, Atlanta.

Vice-President—W. Maxey Jarman, chairman of the board, General Shoe Corporation, Nashville.

Secretary—Raymond L. Rogers, assistant vice-president, First American National Bank, Nashville.

Treasurer—Duke K. McCall, executive secretary of the Executive Committee, Southern Baptist Convention, Nashville.

Executive Secretary—C. H. Bolton, Nashville.

Executive Secretary Bolton reported that present assets have passed the half million mark. Average earnings for 1950 were 4.38%, a little above those of 1949.

Emphasizing the importance of the Foundation Dr. C. H. Bolton, the Executive Secretary said:

"Our Baptist Foundations have been set up for the purpose of giving financial strength to our denominational agencies. In addition to the money given directly to the Foundations for these agencies, the Foundations are so managed by conservative businessmen as to offer safe and sane handling of reserve funds for endowments given to and held by the different agencies.

"One of the first considerations of the Boards of the Foundations is the security of the funds placed in their care. Past records of the handling of trusts are such as to warrant the praise and support of all Southern Baptists."

Anyone desiring to make a gift to any Baptist institution in his state is invited to get in touch with the state Foundation; and those desiring to make a gift to Southwide institutions, contact the Southern Baptist Foundation, 127 Ninth Avenue, North, Nashville 3, Tennessee.

Criswell Pleads For More Missionaries

A two-fold plea—a plea for students to answer God's call to mission work and a plea for pastors to pledge their support to world missions—closed the Mission Day Service at Southwestern Seminary Friday, Feb. 23.

Nineteen students volunteered to carry the Gospel to foreign countries in answer to this appeal issued by Dr. W. A. Criswell, pastor of First Baptist Church, Dallas. The aisle was crowded with preachers pledging to preach and support missions in their churches.

Dr. Criswell painted a picture of an age of the miserable and the wretched and the refugee. Portraying Communism as the work of the devil, he said that 95 per cent of the ideals are almost the same as the ideals of the Christian faith.

"Satan creates his kingdom and he

does his work just as near like the Kingdom of God as he can get it," he said.

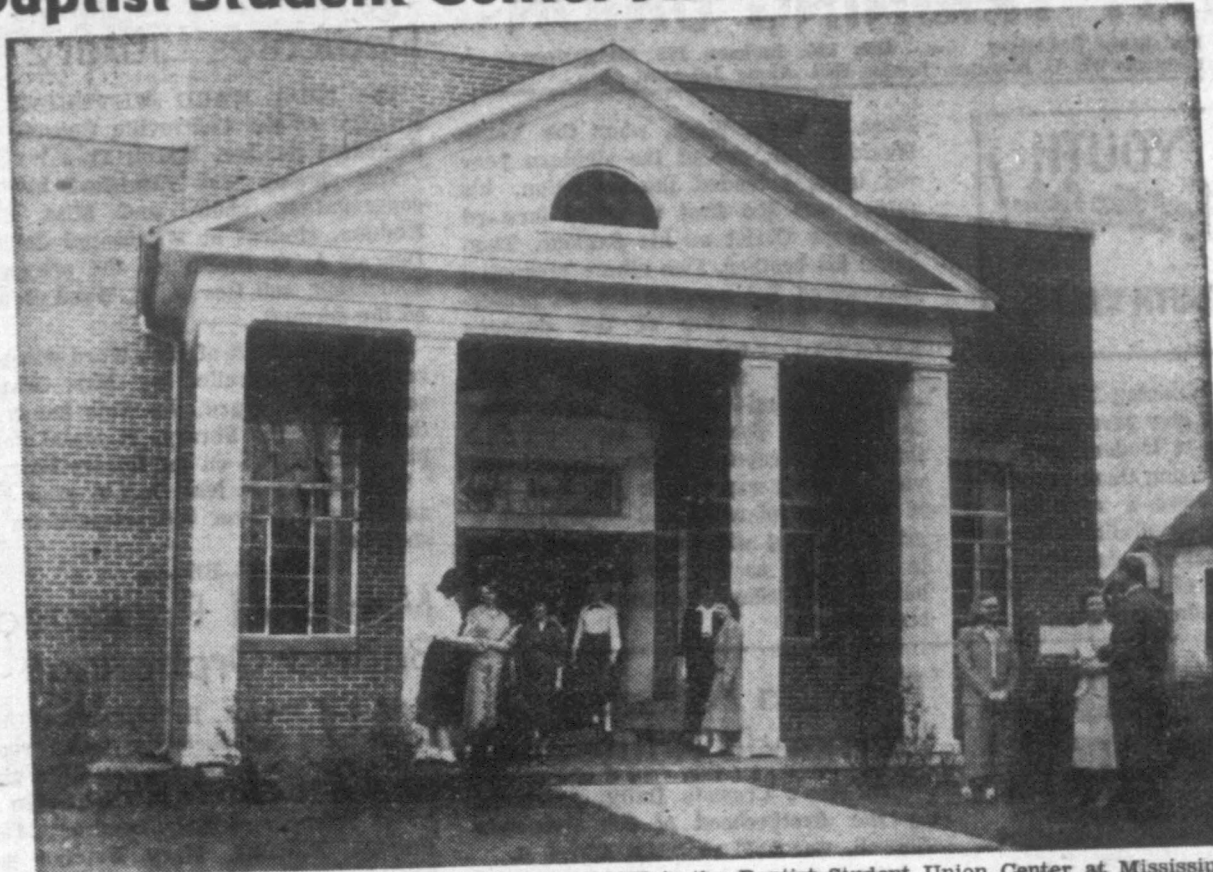
He spoke of a conversation with an ambassador in the Philippines. The ambassador pointed out that without the character created by religion, all military and economic missions will fall to the ground. Stating that the people needed a new birth, he urged Dr. Criswell to appeal to Southern Baptists for more missionaries.

"We do not have people to go, and we lack the funds with which to go forth. What a day! What a challenge! What an hour! What darkening tomorrow there is! What a darkening and threatening tomorrow unless there arises the same fanatical devotion to Jesus Christ as has been put in the hearts of those marching Communists," Dr. Criswell concluded.

WHO ARE THEY? (35 CENTS) IS A

small booklet of twelve chapters, each giving the history and beliefs of one of twelve religious denominations with the Scriptures relating to their teachings. It was first prepared by request of Editor Jack L. Gritz and published in the Baptist Messenger (Okla.). Written by Dr. E. C. Routh and printed by Oklahoma Baptist University Press, Shawnee, Okla., it may be ordered from the Baptist Book Store or from the publisher. Denominations discussed are: Methodists, Presbyterians, Disciples, the Churches of Christ, Episcopalians, Lutherans, Holiness groups, Jehovah's Witnesses, Seventh Day Adventists, Christian Scientists, Mormons, Roman Catholics, Baptist. Dr. Routh is an outstanding Baptist and was for many years editor of the Oklahoma Baptist Messenger and the Commission.

Baptist Student Center At MSCW Dedicated



SHOWN ABOVE is the Baptist Student Union Center at Mississippi State College for Women, Columbus, which was dedicated recently. The new construction is on the lot where the "Workshop" was formerly located.

The new Baptist Student Center at Mississippi State College for Women, Columbus, was dedicated, debt free, in appropriate ceremonies Sunday afternoon, March 11.

Among those appearing on the program were Dr. B. L. Parkinson, president of Mississippi State College for Women; Charlie Horner, State Student Secretary; Miss Gwendolyn Boyett, MSCW Student Secretary, and Dr. S. R. Woodson, pastor of the First Church.

The spacious colonial building is located just across the street from the college campus. Included in the building are: a large lounge, three prayer rooms, an office for the Student Secretary, a library room, a council room, a kitchen and an auditorium (seating 300) which may be used for a chapel, banquet hall, recreation room and auditorium for dramatic work.

The corner stone carries the inscription, "BAPTIST STUDENT CENTER," J. D. Franks, founder-advisor, 1923-1947.

The Baptist Student Union work was organized among the Baptist students at Mississippi State College for Women, under the sponsorship of Dr. J. D. Franks, pastor of the First Church, in 1923. Assisting were, Dr. Frank Leavell, Southwide Student Secretary, and Miss Mary Frances Johnson (Mrs. Edwin Preston), the first B.S.U. Secretary at M.S.C.W. This Baptist Student Center was the first to be opened on the campus of a state school; heretofore, such activities had been limited to the campus of denominational schools.

The first meeting place, for the new Baptist Student organization, was in a rented room in a dwelling on College Avenue near the campus.

Soon after the work was organized, the First Baptist Church, purchased the lot on College Avenue, where the present Baptist Student Center stands, and a group of men from the church built a small tabernacle type structure, for use as a meeting place, known as "The Baptist Workshop." This name was retained until the old building was torn away and the present structure was built; and the name changed to "The Baptist Student Center."

Soon after "The Workshop" was com-

pleted, Dr. Franks, and others interested in Baptist Student Union work, realized the need of a larger and more permanent structure. Plans were drawn and a campaign was started to raise funds with which to erect the building. With the approval of the Mississippi Baptist Convention, the campaign was launched under the direction of Dr. Franks and Miss Margaret McCellan (Mrs. Robert Lewis). This campaign resulted in the raising of about \$8,000 toward the construction of the building. In 1946 the Mississippi Baptist Convention made a grant of \$20,000.

The building committee was composed of Arch Hardin, Chairman, Miss Romaine Berryman, Farmer Kelley, and Mrs. H. H. McClanahan, Sr.

Student Secretaries who have served since the organization of the Baptist Student Union work, are as follows: Miss Mary Frances Johnson (Mrs. Edwin Preston), Miss Irene Ward (Mrs. John Hall Jones), Miss Virginia Witt (Mrs. Swain), Mrs. J. D. Franks, Miss Robia Taylor, Miss Wilda Tilghman, Miss Margaret McCellan (Mrs. Robert Lewis) and Miss Gwendolyn Boyett.

Through the influence of this program of work with the students, many of the young women have volunteered for full-time Christian service and are now serving as missionaries, church workers, Student Secretaries, etc. Hundreds have been influenced to build better Christian homes.

—BR—

JESUS SAVES, BY HATTIE BELL
Allen (paper, 35 cents; cloth, 75 cents) is a book for Juniors, teaching them how to witness for Christ. It is recommended for study course credit. The chapters are interspersed with pictures and with songs, including the music, which will add interest to the classes. Published by the Broadman Press, the book may be ordered from the Baptist Book Store.

Better Pianos! Priced Right!

ELLIS PIANO CO.

"Mississippi's Largest Piano House"
505 E. Pearl St. — Jackson, Miss.
LAMAR ELLIS, Owner

SAVINGS FUNDS EARN

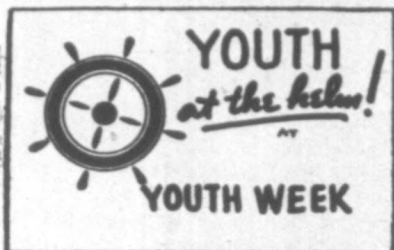
Many churches as well as individuals, deposit their building funds here until required . . . and thereby increase it at semi-annual periods by substantial dividends. We will welcome your inquiry.

FIRST FEDERAL Savings & Loan Ass'n.
JACKSON, MISS.

2 1/2%
CURRENT DIVIDEND

--BAPTIST TRAINING UNION--

Auber J. Wilds, State Secretary — Box 530, Jackson 105, Mississippi
Associates: W. C. Morgan, Louise Hill, Alene Johnson



Is your church planning Youth Week this year? Why not give your young people the feel of what leadership in the church is like by letting them take over for a week. We have a very helpful tract on Youth Week available for the asking. Here is what one church experiences as the result of their Youth Week last year—"On Sunday morning, at the

close of Youth Week, when the Youth Week Pastor, one of the eighteen year old boys, extended the invitation, his father was the first to come forward to accept Christ as his Saviour. Then came his brother. Two others presented themselves for membership on profession of faith. One of the deacons surrendered to preach and is now in the seminary. Five others came rededicating their lives to Christian Service." Of course this is an exceptionally good report and you may not experience just that, but if properly planned and supervised a great blessing will be the result. April is suggested as the regular time, but have it when convenient for your church, but have it.

TO LEAD BOGUE CHITTO REVIVAL MAR. 25-APR. 5



REV. ROY F. SUTTON

Rev. Roy F. Sutton of Phoenix, Arizona, will be the evangelist in the Bogue Chitto Church, Lincoln County, revival March 24-April 5.

Mr. Sutton is pastor of the College Park church, Phoenix, and President of the Arizona Convention.

In addition to the daily evening services, a meeting will be conducted each weekday morning at the local high school. Several churches will be attended by students, faculty, and parents and friends.

The singer will be Thomas Moak, a Senior in Mississippi College and Director of Music in the church.

—BR—

Howe Resigns At New Hope

Rev. Claude Howe has resigned the pastorate of New Hope Church in Sunflower County, after 29 months as pastor, in order to accept the work at Linn Church.

There were 50 additions during this time, 30 by baptism. The church has bought pews, installed a butane gas system, added a baptistry and florescent lights, sealed the interior with wainscoating and wall board, divided the Sunday school rooms, repainted woodworks, and refinished exterior with stucco.

190 Men Attend Hernando Rally

The Men's Crusade Rally, sponsored by the Brotherhood of the Hernando Church, was held recently, March 5.

After supper Rev. Grant Clark gave an inspiring talk on "Conservation."

Several songs were rendered by the Brotherhood quartet and the singers from the Eudora Church.

Rev. Harold Clower, pastor of the Eudora Church, was guest speaker of the evening. He spoke on "The Sacrificial Life".

Rev. M. C. Whitten led in the closing prayer.

Approximately 190 persons represented the following churches:

Hernando, 49; Eudora, 36; Olive Branch, 18; Oak Grove, 2; Trinity, 5; Horn Lake, 9.

—BR—

CALENDAR OF PRAYER

March 26—Simultaneous Crusade; Rev. P. D. Brag, District IX Training Union President.

March 27—Mrs. Hansell A. Courtney, receptionist, Mississippi College registrar's office; Miss Frances Browning, Clarke College faculty.

March 28—Mrs. Victoria Thompson, House Mother, Baptist Orphanage; Dr. Walter F. Taylor, Dean, Blue Mountain College.

March 29—J. E. Neal, District 3 Brotherhood president; Dr. Elmer J. Harris, Radiologist, Baptist Hospital.

March 30—Mrs. R. L. Redell, Warren Associational WMU Superintendent; John Mixon, Hattiesburg, Woman's College trustee.

March 31—Rev. R. A. Langley, Deer Creek Associational Sunday School Superintendent; Oscar Yarbough, Lauderdale Associational Brotherhood President.

April 1—High Attendance Day in Sunday Schools and Training Unions.

Centreville Church Dedicates Library

The NIDA WARD MEMORIAL LIBRARY of the Centreville Church was dedicated Sunday, March 11.

The singing was furnished by the congregation, choir, and Miss Elois Kighton, student at Mississippi College. Deacon A. Q. Smith led the prayer of dedication, and Rev. A. A. Ward preached the sermon.

A large portrait of Mrs. Ward was presented and unveiled by Mrs. Ward's son, Adin A. Ward, Jr. This hangs on the wall in the library. A metal name plate was placed on the library door.

This library is less than a year old, and now has over 300 volumes on its shelves.

—BR—

Memorial Presented Baptist Orphanage

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Williams of McComb have furnished the living room in the Pre-School Cottage for little girls and boys of the Baptist Orphanage in loving memory of their daughter, Mary Emelyn Williams. Mary Emelyn was born November 19, 1917, and died June 28, 1938 while a student in college.

The living room is a beautiful room at the center front of the building, and will be used jointly by those occupying both the East and West wings of this duplex home.

Mr. and Mrs. Williams are members of First Baptist Church of McComb. Mr. Williams is a member of the Board of Trustees of the Orphanage.

—BR—

State BSU Secretary Has 5th Anniversary



CHAS. W. HORNER

Last Monday marked the completion of five years as Mississippi's State BSU Secretary for Chas. W. Horner, who came to the Student Work on March 19, 1946, after a tour of duty with the Navy lasting 39 months.

In a statement for the Baptist Record, Mr. Horner says: "I am very grateful that Mississippi Baptists have made many advances in their student program during the past five years. All phases of the work have grown. It has been my great privilege to be your State Student Secretary. These have been the happiest and busiest five years of my life and, although no one can predict the future, I am perfectly willing for the Lord to keep me indefinitely in this marvelous opportunity for service. I want only to do His will. For every advance made and victory won, during these five years the glory belongs solely to Him."

50, 40 & 25 Years Ago

50 Years Ago

Young Rev. J. R. Hobbs enters "with fear and trembling" upon his first pastorate with the Little Bahala Baptist Church near Wesson, following such "noble men as Anding, Purser, Lomax, Green and Thigpen."

Pastor J. P. Williams of Silver Creek tells of "Good News and a Long Step Forward" in the Calvary Baptist Church at that place on Missionary Day. They set their goal at \$125 for Missions, but went to \$150.

40 Years Ago

State Evangelist Bryan Simmons has been called to the pastorate of the Terry and Bethesda Churches, Hinds County, for half time and takes up the work immediately.

Pastor D. W. McLeod of the East Fork, Glading and Gillsburg Churches, Amite County, reports very satisfactory progress in the Foreign Mission collections.

The house of worship of the First Baptist Church, McComb, was dedicated free from debt, with Rev. E. D. Solomon of Hattiesburg preaching the dedication sermon. The membership is "over five hundred," pastored by Rev. Theo Whitfield.

25 Years Ago

A splendid addition to the Clinton Baptist Church was recently made. It was the lovely equipment for the Nursery by the Euzelian Class, with the help of a few other ladies of the church, under the leadership of the efficient president of the class, Mrs. Gilbert.

A training school for Officers and Teachers of the Sunday School, led by J. E. Byrd in the Greenwood Church precipitated plans and a steadfast purpose on the part of the pastor and people to build an annex to the house of worship to accommodate a Sunday School of 1,000 pupils. Rev. Edw. J. Caswell is pastor.

1st Church Cleveland Has New Secretary

Miss Fabia Rue Jones of Polkville has begun her work at the First Church, Cleveland, as Church Secretary. Dr. W. H. Clarke is pastor.

Miss Jones completed her work at Clarke Memorial College, Newton, in January with special honors. For two



MISS FABIA RUE JONES

years she worked as student secretary to the Director of Public Relations at Clarke. Also, she was President of the Art Club, Photo-Editor of the annual, Reporter for the Sophomore Class, Assistant Social Editor of the Religious Education Association, a member of the choir, and a member of the Music Club. Mrs. Fred Purser has been capably serving as temporary secretary.

EAST TEXAS BAPTIST COLLEGE

Marshall, Texas

"A LIBERAL ARTS COLLEGE"

Accredited - Orthodox - Spiritual - Business - Teacher Training - Music - Pre-professional - Reasonable Rates

Spring Semester - January 31, 1951

Summer Session - June 4, 1951

For Information and Literature Contact:

H. D. BRUCE, President

-- Woman's Missionary Union --

President—Mrs. Wilma B. Sledge, Jackson; Exec. Sec'y.—Miss Edwina Robinson
Young People's Sec'y.—Miss Nell Taylor

STEWARDSHIP REPORT

Summary compiled by State Stewardship Chairman from Reports received last quarter.

Districts	W.M.S. Reporting	Women contributing through Cooperative Program	Total Tithers	New Tithers	Stewardship Books studied	No. Y.P. Org. Reporting	Y.P. contributing through Cooperative Program	Tithers	New Tithers	Part. in Stwship. Edu. plans	W.M.U.'s obser. Stwship Night	Stwship. books studied by Y.P.	
I	54	2,152	1,242	160	46	77	374	190	5	131	7	19	Mrs. R. E. Middleton, Chm. (No Report)
II	52	1,850	807	74	6	27	1,073	494	53	357	14		Mrs. Edward Shropshire (Reported)
III	56	1,331	611	34	40	95	655	245	35	202	7		Mrs. J. L. Travis, Sr. (Reported)
IV	38	1,170	638	17	5	74	382	309	6		8		Mrs. Irvin Parks (No Report)
V	36	748	407	46	1	64	314	186	13	13	4		Mrs. J. S. Hughes (No Report)
VI	88	1,894	922	42	10	157	1,022	245	20	298	8		Mrs. David Byrd (Reported)
VII	103	2,124	1,341	95	16	219	2,344	826	40	298	20	4	Mrs. W. E. Litton (Reported)
VIII	116	2,455	1,236	123	34	99	1,096	476	53	148	23	4	Mrs. Felton Barnes (Reported)
TO	543	13,728	7,204	589	158	812	7,260	2,991	225	1,447	91	27	

District I—Six out of eight Associational Stewardship Chairmen reported.
District II—Four out of six Associational Stewardship Chairmen reported.
District III—Eleven out of eleven Associational Stewardship Chairmen reported.
District IV—Six out of ten Associational Stewardship Chairmen reported.
District V—Four out of eight Associational Stewardship Chairmen reported.
District VI—Six out of nine Associational Stewardship Chairmen reported.
District VII—Eight out of eleven Associational Stewardship Chairmen reported.
District VIII—Nine out of nine Associational Stewardship Chairmen reported.

EVANGELISTIC CRUSADE PLANS

Hazelhurst—Mrs. Richardson passed on this plan that others might find helpful. "We have given each woman an opportunity to take an envelope which contains the names of two people—one, not a Christian and the other with membership elsewhere. We are to pray over these names a week before opening the envelope. Then we are to try to win them. We have also given the names of six women, who are not members of Woman's Missionary Union and whose Church membership is elsewhere, to each circle, to visit and seek to enlist in attendance during the series of services and later as a member of the W.M.U."

GLIMPSES OF GARAYWA

MEET THE DIRECTOR OF ROYAL AMBASSADOR CAMPS!

JOEL DILLAD RAY, Corinth, Mississippi, will direct Royal Ambassador camps at Camp Garaywa this summer. For the past four years, he has helped in Mississippi R. A. camps, serving three years as Assistant Camp Director.

At present, Joel Ray is a student in Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, Louisville, Kentucky. He is also pastor of Rolling Fork Baptist Church, Gleanings, Kentucky.

The four camps which he will direct are scheduled as follows:

Three Junior R. A. weeks—June 4-9, 18-23, and 25-30.

One Int. R. A. camp—June 11-16.

We welcome Joel Ray to this place of strategic responsibility in the leadership of our Mississippi Royal Ambassadors this summer.

(Next week you'll meet another CAMP PERSONALITY; watch this column!)



JOEL D. RAY

THE FIRST APARTMENTS IN ELLIS
A. Fuller Hall, new dormitory at Southern Seminary, were occupied March 1. All of the 97 apartments are furnished. All but six have a living room, efficiency-type kitchen, bedrooms and tile bath. Six apartments, for families with three children, have two bedrooms.

REV. T. J. SMITH, PASTOR OF
North Kansas City, Missouri, will do the preaching in the Crusade revival at Magee, March 25-April 1. Rev. John Jacobs, director of music and education in the Magee Church, will lead the singing. Evangelist Smith is the cousin of the Magee pastor, Rev. J. B. Smith.

Sparks & Splinters

FOR SALE—One high-powered, slightly used public address set. Works from battery or electricity. Price right. H. J. Bennett, Rt. 5, Jackson, Miss., phone 52927.

BLUE MOUNTAIN, MISS., MARCH 16—The Buddies Sunday School Class of the Lowery Memorial Baptist Church recently sent a contribution to the Mississippi Baptist Seminary in Jackson. Miss Marguerite Hill, the teacher of this class of Intermediate girls, has just received a nice letter of appreciation from President Herbert L. Lang.

THE MINOR PROPHETS, VOLUMES I and II, have recently been released by the Baker Book House. Written by Dr. E. B. Pusey, this scholarly commentary works through each book chapter by chapter and verse by verse. The form and binding are planned to match the Barnes' Notes Series. Each volume is \$3.50 and may be ordered from the Baptist Book Store or from the publisher at Grand Rapids 6, Michigan.

THE BAPTIST RECORD HAS RECEIVED a copy of the minutes of the Yazoo County Association which held its 30th session at Short Creek Church. The minutes are among the best we've seen. They are clear, concise and attractive. Rev. J. N. Brister is the moderator and Rev. Robert I. Martin is the clerk.

THE BAPTIST RECORD HAS RECEIVED a copy of the minutes of the Carroll County Association which held its 31st session at Vaiden and Mt. Olive churches. The minutes are well-prepared and attractive. They are in memory of Rev. L. D. Sellers, whose picture is shown on page one. Rev. Percy Magee is the moderator and Rev. W. M. Hull, Jr. is the clerk.

REV. W. M. HULL, JR., CLERK, HAS sent us a copy of the minutes of the Montgomery County Association. The minutes are very attractive, well-prepared and the printers did a good job. Rev. C. B. Hamlet, III is the clerk.

THE EVANGELIC MUSICIAN IS THE braille music companion of The Braille Evangel Magazine, Fort Worth, Texas, edited by Edwin Wilson. Each issue contains brief notes on hymnody, 15 hymns, anthems, gospel songs, gospel choruses, and other simple forms of sacred selections. The subscription price is \$1.00 per year. If you have blind friends, who would be interested, advise them to write to Edwin Wilson, Box 6001, Fort Worth 15, Texas.

ENROLLMENT AT SOUTHERN SEMINARY, Louisville, totals, 1,008 for the year, 150 greater than the previous record enrollment. Two of the current students are women admitted under the provision which permits graduates of the WMU Training School to work for Seminary degrees. An additional 47 men and women enrolled in the School of Church Music of the Seminary, and 187 women enrolled at the WMU Training School attend Seminary classes.

A COPY OF THE MINUTES OF THE Lowndes County Association has been sent to the Baptist Record. The 16-page booklet is well prepared and the printers did a good job. Rev. K. Z. Stevens is the moderator and Rev. O. P. Breland, clerk.

THE BLAINE CHURCH, SUNFLOWER Association, under the leadership of the pastor, Rev. W. L. Marsh, and Training Union director, Mrs. Charles Hughes, have just finished with one of their best study courses, with almost perfect attendance. There were 50 that received awards.

—J. L. JENKINS
CRANFIELD CHURCH (ADAMS CO.) will have its revival services April 1-8 with Dr. H. Clayton Waddell, associate professor of Social Ethics, New Orleans Seminary, doing the preaching. There will be special emphasis on reaching whole families for Christ. Rev. Arthur H. Leslie is the pastor.



REV. HUBERT MCCULLAR

Rev. Hubert McCullar has accepted the call of the New Prospect Church in Leake County, which promotes half-time services. He also serves as pastor of O'Tuckalofa Church, Yalobusha County, where he was licensed and ordained in 1950. He is a student at Mississippi College.

—BR—

CLIMAXING A WEEK OF EMPHASIS on home missions, the Young Woman's Auxiliary at Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary, contributed \$1,016.00 to the Annie Armstrong offering. This more than doubled the \$500 goal set by the students. "Because they're lost, share the cost" constituted the theme for the week, which featured prayer, mission study, and giving. Students observed an all-day chain of prayer for missionary activities in the Southern Baptist Convention on Wednesday, March 7.

CHAPLAIN (1st. Lt.) IVOR L. CLARK of Philadelphia, Mississippi, graduated on March 14 from the Chaplain School at Carlisle Barracks, Pa. Until he was recalled recently to extended active duty as a reserve chaplain, Chaplain Clarke was pastor of the Spring Creek Church, Neshoba County.

FRANKLIN COUNTY BAPTIST churches have the following scheduled revivals for the Crusade: March 18 and the week following—Eddiceton, Siloam; March 25 and the week following—Hopewell, Roxie, Serepta; April 1 and the week following—Bude, Concord, Damascus, Hamburg, Lucien, McCall and New Salem together, Meadville, Mt. Zion, O'Zion, Quinton, Providence, Ramah.

THE BAPTIST RECORD HAS RECEIVED a copy of the minutes of the Pontotoc County Association of which W. L. Mounce is the moderator and T. M. Wingo is the clerk. The minutes include a map of the association showing the location of the churches and the roads in the county. The charts give complete information concerning each organization in the churches.

EDWARD A. McDOWELL, III, SON of Professor and Mrs. Edward A. McDowell, Jr., of Southern Seminary, and Miss Mary Ann King, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. King, Tullahoma, Tenn., were married February 10 in Tullahoma, with Professor McDowell performing the ceremony. The bride is a graduate of Stephens College and Vanderbilt. Mr. McDowell, now a student at Southern Seminary, is a graduate of Furman University and did graduate work at Vanderbilt University.

DR. WEBB BRAME OF YAZOO CITY will do the preaching in the revivals at Wake Forest and Longview churches, March 25-30 and April 1-6, respectively. A census has been taken in each church and they are to have two weeks of prayer services prior to the revival. Rev. C. E. Snowden serves each church as pastor.

SUNDAY SCHOOL DEPARTMENT

E. C. WILLIAMS, Secretary
MISS CAROLYN MADISON, Elementary Secretary
MRS. CECIL H. SMITH, Office Secretary

SUNDAY SCHOOL ASSEMBLY

July 16-20 is Sunday School time at Camp Garaywa, near Clinton. We have not had a state Sunday school assembly since 1938, so let's make this first one at Garaywa a great one.

The rate will be \$12.00 for those under 13, and \$14.00 for those 13 and over. This is for the full assembly, Monday night supper through Saturday morning breakfast. A reservation deposit of \$1.50 is required for each person, but this will be a part of the full amount for the week. Cancellations can be made and reservation fee returned as late as July 1 for any who find they cannot come. Please save the date and let us hear from you about reservation.

NEXT SUNDAY IS IT

Next Sunday is the time for the beginning of the great Southwide Evangelistic Crusade.

The next two weeks, March 25-April 8, are the special weeks set apart for this important part of the 1951 program. And our Sunday schools just must have a big part in this.

Officers and teachers should plan to make large use of the school for its greatest contribution to the Crusade.



MRS. MADELINE SCOTT EAST

Madeline Scott East passed to her eternal reward February 18, 1951. Mrs. East was born in Copiah County December 5, 1873. She was active in denominational life having joined New Zion Baptist Church in Copiah County at the age of ten. A manifest interest was shown in the affairs of her denomination by her frequent attendance of the Southern Baptist Convention. Persistent in the study of the Bible, she was both student and teacher. Mrs. East's brother, Professor T. P. Scott, was one of the founders of Mississippi Southern College (State Teacher's College), and served for 18 years as one of its vice presidents. Besides her many good works, Mrs. East is survived by two daughters, Mrs. H. L. McCleskey, Hattiesburg, and Madeline Jewel Whitley, Lieutenant, U. S. Naval Hospital, Great Lakes, Ill.; two sons, J. S. East, Hattiesburg, and J. W. East, Brandon. Besides her immediate children, surviving her, is one granddaughter and seven grandsons.

—BR—

BEAR CREEK CHURCH, McCool, will hold a one-week revival, beginning March 25, in which Rev. J. S. Deal of Start, Louisiana, will do the preaching and Rev. E. C. Horton, pastor, will direct the music.

THE MEASURE OF LIFE IS NOT its duration but its donation.

Many lost ones should be contacted for Christ and helped in every possible way. The time is short; let us use it wisely and well.

VACATION SCHOOL TIME

Yes, sir, it is getting almost time for Vacation Bible schools again, and it is time for making plans for them.

My, my, how some of our people are getting down to real business in plans to make 1951 the greatest year we have ever had in these Vacation schools is enough to thrill all of us.

But—there are so many churches that have never had such a school, and those boys and girls are missing the blessings that come from them. How we do regret this! We want every boy and girl to have this great opportunity.

What say you, Brother Pastor and Superintendent? We will help you if you will let us. Write us about a school.

MARCH 25 MISSIONS DAY

Next Sunday is Home and Foreign Missions Day in the Sunday school. Be sure and observe it in a great way. The special program is given on pages 18 and 19 of the March issue of the Sunday School Builder.

Amish Mennonite Convicted Of Draft Evasion

DETROIT — (RNS) — An Amish Mennonite who violates his religion's tenets by smoking cigarets, riding in autos, going to movies, and dressing flashily cannot claim exemption from military service because of membership in the pacifist sect, a federal judge ruled here.

Aaron K. Yoder of Jerome, Mich., 24-year-old farm worker, was convicted of draft evasion in U.S. District Court after testimony showed he had strayed from numerous teachings of his church. In his defense, the youth said: "I have been taught from childhood that it is wrong for a man to bear arms against another."

Testimony offered against him alleged that he had told his draft board: "I sold my car to get back in the Church's good standing so I could get a draft deferment." Members of the sect are not permitted to ride in automobiles.

Mr. Yoder appeared before Judge Thomas P. Thornton wearing a maroon sport shirt and loud plaid socks. Mennonite tradition calls for somber clothing. He admitted he had erred in the past, but said he had publicly repented of his worldliness.

They came in an automobile furnished by non-Amish neighbors. Mr. Stoll said they were permitted to do so because of the emergency nature of the trip.

Dorough Begins Pastorate At Hebron



REV. J. J. DOROUGH

Rev. J. J. Dorough, of Tampa Fla., has accepted the pastorate of the Hebron Church in the Jones County Association, Summerland.

Mr. Dorough was educated in the schools of Polk County, Florida, and attended the Baptist Bible Institute of Lakeland, Florida for two years.

He has served as Associational Training Union director of the Tampa Bay Association for three years, also secretary to the Tampa Bay Ministers Association for two years.

Mr. and Mrs. Dorough have three daughters and one son. Plans were to arrive on the field about March 21.

—BR—

REV. L. D. MORGAN, A NATIVE OF Skene and now pastor of the First Church, Pasadena, Texas, will be the evangelist in the revival at Skene Church, Bolivar County, March 25-April 4. Rev. V. E. Crider is the pastor.

IN ANSWER TO REV. D. W. MOULDER's challenge of the length of marriage, Mrs. J. W. Hill writes that Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Morris have been married more than 64 years. They are members of the Improve Church in Marion County.

Main Street Breaks Ground for Ed. Plant

CLASSIC \$325,000 UNIT TO BE AIR-CONDITIONED

Sunday, March 11 the Main Street Church, Hattiesburg, had a ground-breaking ceremony at the close of the morning service for a new addition to the present building, to cost \$325,000. The ground-breaking ceremony was presided over by the pastor, Dr. John E. Barnes, Jr. Wallace E. Parham, Educational Director, read the scripture. This was followed by a prayer of consecration and dedication.

Monday morning at eight o'clock the Building Committee and other members of the church met and actually turned the first sod of dirt; then actual excavation started. The new addition will contain 29,660 square feet of floor space. In the new addition will be a chapel to seat 250, a banquet room and recreation hall that will seat 200 at tables or 250 as an auditorium. It will also include a large library and a modern suite of offices for the church staff. There will also be six Nurseries on the first floor of the building along with a church lounge, convenient to the chapel.

The second floor of the building will have four Intermediate and four Junior Departments and a pastor's study. When the new addition is completed, the Sunday School will have six Nursery Departments to accommodate 150; four Beginner Departments for 100; four Primary Departments for 150; four Junior Departments for 520; four Intermediate for 240; three Young People for 200; and four Adult Departments for 250, giving a total capacity in the Sunday School of 1,600.

The addition is to be built east of the present building and will adjoin the present building, making one large structure. The plans call for a modern air conditioning and heating unit for the new addition. The auditorium of the present building has been air conditioned for four years.

The addition is to be built of brick and reinforced concrete. It will carry out the classic architectural design of the present building which was erected

11 years ago. Hearon and McClesky, local architects, drew the plans. The Glenn Construction Company is the contractor. It is hoped that the building will be completed by April 1, 1952.

—BR—

ANOTHER STUDY TO APPEAR IN the 1951 Handbook will show that there are now 23,146 rural (open country, village, or town under 2,500) churches compared with 22,043 in 1923 when the last comprehensive study was made. The 1950 study will show that 39.7% of these churches with pastors report the pastor living on the church field, compared with only 29.9% in 1923. In 1924, only 36.4% of these had the W. M. U. organizations. Today, 50% have one or more organizations. Only 27.2% had B. Y. P. U. S. Today, 53% have Baptist Training Union organizations. Only 80.3% of the rural churches had Sunday schools in 1923. Today, 96% of these churches report Sunday schools.

FOR SALE! Good Oak Church Pews

The First Baptist Church, Meridian, Mississippi, offers for sale for cash, eight, 10 foot and sixteen 8 ft. 2-inch straight church pews of high grade and quality at \$4.50 per foot, which is 40% of the cost of new pews. These are exactly what is needed for an auditorium 34 to 36 feet wide.

Also, fourteen pews 14 feet long and thirty pews 8 ft. 6" long, price \$4 per foot. These pews are of slightly curved design and fit exactly an auditorium 40 to 42 feet wide. They are of high grade and quality, price is about 40% of new ones. Purchaser to move them from Meridian to destination. If interested write First Baptist Church, Box 508, Meridian, Miss., or call Telephone 3-3365.

PROMOTING HOME MISSIONS

By JOHN CAYLOR

Every missionary of the Home Mission Board is a promotion secretary. Woman's Missionary Union has just closed a great promotional emphasis in the Annie Armstrong Week of Prayer for home missions. Every pastor who preaches on home missions promotes the cause.

A PROMOTION SECRETARY



REV. L. O. GRIFFITH

The Home Mission Board has just elected Reverend L. O. Griffith, of Louisville, Kentucky, as secretary of promotion for home missions. Brother Griffith will move to Atlanta from his present position as assistant to the executive secretary of Kentucky Baptists where he has served in an executive capacity for the past six years. He is beginning his work with the Home Mission Board on May 1. A native of western Kentucky, Brother Griffith is a graduate of Georgetown College and Southern Baptist Theological Seminary. For twelve years he served as pastor in the mountain area of Kentucky at which time he was director of boys' and girls' camps at Clear Creek Springs, Pineville, Kentucky.

A MISSIONARY RETIRES

Dr. J. B. Rounds who for the past eight years has been superintendent of Indian work for the Home Mission Board is retiring April 1 from active service with the Board. He will devote as much time as his physical condition will allow in institutes and camps as he continues to serve the Indians in a spiritual way. Dr. Rounds has had a colorful ministry in Indian service both with the Home Mission Board and in pioneer days. An Oklahoma writer, Phyllis Sapp, has written an interesting biography of Dr. Rounds titled "The Ice Cutter." It is a 30,000-word book advertised this month by Baptist book stores through this paper.

SEE HOME MISSIONS ON THE WAY TO THE CONVENTION

The Home Mission Board has prepared a free map giving names and locations of home missionaries in the western area. Those who drive to the Southern Baptist Convention are invited to order from the Home Mission Board the map of the western area and are encouraged to stop and visit the missions on their way to and from San Francisco.

For the convenience of those who travel by train the Home Mission Board will try to secure reservations for those who can make such trips with stopovers on special train visiting home mission interests in New Orleans, San Antonio, El Paso and Phoenix. John Caylor, 161 Spring Street, N. W., Atlanta 3, Georgia, will assist in getting reservations on the special train. No extra fare is charged and only rail and Pullman accommodations will be secured for pas-

CORINTH, SIMPSON AND ANTIOCH, RANKIN PLAN REVIVALS

Rev. Paul McDonald, pastor, will do the preaching in the revival at Corinth Church in Simpson County March 25-30. Prayer meetings have been held, census taken, and 46 enrolled in a study course book, "Living Abundantly", was taught by the pastor.

The church plans to install a new piano in time for the meeting.

At Antioch Church, Rankin County, where Mr. McDonald is also pastor, Rev. L. C. Hoff, pastor of Steen's Creek Church, Florence will do the preaching April 1-6.

—BR—

SHILOH PLANS REVIVAL

Rev. and Mrs. H. L. Hannah of Holaday, Texas, will lead in the revival services at Shiloh Church in Chickasaw County beginning Monday night, March 26. The pastor, Rev. B. B. McGee will do the preaching on Sunday afternoon March 25.

A Sunday School organization will be set up on the first day of the meeting, March 25.

Mr. Hannah is a graduate of Clarke College, Mississippi College and Southwestern Seminary.

—BR—

Southwestern Seminary Schedules Alumni Breakfast

Southwestern Seminary will have its conventionwide Alumni Breakfast in San Francisco at Hotel Whitcomb, Friday, June 22, at 7:30.

Reservations should be made as soon as possible through Ralph D. Churchill, publicity director, Seminary Hill Station, Fort Worth, Texas.

Tickets are \$2.00, which includes tax and tip.

—BR—

VALENTINE CELEBRATES FOURTH ANNIVERSARY IN SOUTHSIDE PASTORATE

Rev. S. W. Valentine has celebrated his fourth year in the pastorate of the Southside Church, Jackson.

According to the church bulletin, there have been 422 additions during this time, 121 by baptism, making a total present membership of 656. A total of \$61,050 has been given during these years.

The organizations have greatly increased. A Brotherhood has been organized and an active mission program is sponsored, including regular visits to jails, Sanatorium, and various institutions in the area.

To show their appreciation, members of the church surprised the pastor and his family on their anniversary with a bountiful pounding.

sengers who desire to go together on a special train for that trip. Inquiries are invited.

HOME MISSIONS IN 1950

The annual report indicates that the Home Mission Board employed 754 regular missionaries and 271 summer student missionaries during 1950. These missionaries reported 32,600 conversions; 87,241 Bibles and Gospels distributed; 1,130,261 pages of tracts distributed; 18,512 classes taught; 3,988 revivals conducted; 598 new missions opened; and 293 new churches constituted.

In addition to the work of the regular missionaries 259 chaplains reported 6,120 conversions. The home mission challenge is greater than it has ever been in the history of Southern Baptists.

BAPTIST LAYMEN TO UNDERGIRD EVANGELISTIC CRUSADE

Never before in the history of Baptist have laymen so wholeheartedly supported any movement as they are the great Evangelistic Crusade, March 25-April 8. We reported in this column last week the attendance at a number of the Laymen's Rallies and are following those with a number of others listed below. There is no better sign of interest than the attendance of one upon a meeting. Reports have come to us by the score from these Laymen's Rallies which indicate that the revival has already started. All of the reports are not in, but we do have the following attendance reports.

Perry 77; Newton 75; Desoto 347; Sharkey-Issq. 66; Greene 68; George 41; Simpson 129; Deer Creek 125; Montgomery 63; Noxubee 55; Okibbeha 79; Jeff-Davis 45; Lee 155; Warren 89; Clarke 103; Jackson 124.

BELLEVUE SPONSORS PRAYER PERIOD

The Brotherhood in the Bellevue Baptist Church, Memphis, R. G. Lee, pastor, has as one of its activities an early morning prayer period for the men of the church.

Here, according to O. M. Laughlin, activities vice-president, is how the prayer periods are conducted:

The men come together promptly at 6:30 each Monday morning. Immediately after assembling, each man reads two passages of Scripture from his own Bible. After the Scripture reading, the men are divided into groups of six to go into separate rooms for prayer. The breaking down into groups makes it possible for each of the men to pray

audibly with his prayer companions. During their prayers the men thank God for His continued blessings and seek His guidance in their relations with their fellowmen during the week. They also ask for His blessings to rest upon their church, pastor, friends, neighbors, and even their enemies.

After prayer the men go immediately into a fellowship period around the breakfast table. Food for the morning meal is prepared under the direction of the social chairman of the Brotherhood. Promptly at 7:30

the men are dismissed to go to their work, both spiritually and physically refreshed.

—BR—

MISSISSIPPIANS NAMED TO MISSION WORK IN JAPAN



A native Mississippian, Rev. Ralph Victor Calcote, and his wife were among the seven Southern Baptist missionaries appointed for overseas service at the March meeting of the Foreign Mission Board. They will go to Japan.

Born near Wesson, and reared in Brookhaven, he is pastor of the Jenkins Memorial Church, St. Martinville, La.

He studied at Mississippi State College, where he was active in BSU work, and entered Southern Baptist Theological Seminary to prepare for foreign mission service.

There he met Mrs. Calcote who was Miss Gena Myrle Wall of Louisiana, and at that time a student at the Training School. During his last two years in the seminary he taught in a night school for apprentice electricians, and worked with Negroes in various mission activities.

Mr. Calcote was called to the St. Martinville Church in May, 1949. He and Mrs. Calcote began a mission in Catahoula, 11 miles from St. Martinville, in February, 1950.

They have a son, Stuart Wayne, 16 months.

Other March appointees of the Foreign Mission Board are Rev. and Mrs. Albert B. Craighead, of Rockmart, Ga., for Italy; Rev. and Mrs. James Loyd Moon, of Gurley, Ala., for Brazil; and Mrs. Ruth Myrtle Rumphol, of Eau Claire, Wis., for Nigeria.



SHOWN ABOVE is the church sign at Riverside Church, Money. The sign has recently been erected and is the gift of the Brotherhood of the church. Rev. D. I. Young, Jr., is the pastor.

—BR—

THE BROADMAN PRESS HAS PUBLISHED a book on soul-winning for intermediates entitled INTERMEDIATE FISHERS. Written by Frank Burkhalter, the 78 page booklet is interesting and is recommended for study course credit. Order from the Baptist Book Store (35 cents).

NOTICE ALL CHURCHES

We make a specialty of reconditioning, refinishing, tuning church pianos at cheaper, guaranteed price. Write or call Coopers Piano Service, 319 Court Street, Jackson, Miss. Telephone 3-7473.

Sunday School Lesson

Prepared by Dr. L. Bracey Campbell.
For March 25.
THROUGH DEATH TO LIFE
Bible Text, Mark 15:16.

INTRODUCTION

"Take thy shoes from off thy feet, for the ground whereon thou standest is holy." We come in the story of the greatest life that was ever lived to that event of which Edmund Burke might have spoken truly had he said, "By how much is this the greatest event that ever occurred in the world."

The soldiers who lifted upright the cross to which the Prince of Glory had been nailed and dropped the end of the upright of that cross into the hole dug in the surface of the hill-top to receive it, pinned the scroll of history at its center, turned the course of the current of the world's life into a new channel, and hung high the fadeless star of hope in the midnight of man's despair.

That old cross with its precious burden was and is a teaching symbol the greatest ever employed by anybody anywhere.

1. It teaches the enormity of sin in the sight of God. In a very real sense, sin is a disease of the human soul. It is something besides a disease, but it is a disease. Commensurate with the seriousness of the disease is the wise physician's willingness to employ a severe remedy. The most terrible disease must be that which can be cured only by the employment of the extreme and most costly remedy.

2. It teaches in the most striking manner the boundless, fathomless love of God. How is real love shown anywhere but by the extent to which the loving heart will go in giving of labor and life for the behoof of the beloved! God so loved the world of men that He set the cross in the midst of them as His love-gift, a symbol of the deathless love sets a perennial fountain of life to flow in ever widening, deepening tide from the rocky crest of Calvary.

3. It teaches ruined, sin-bound men to hope for restoration to purity and strength, and freedom from the worst of all the forms of slavery.

4. It teaches the accomplished fact of the reconciliation of God to man, the restoration of man to fellowship with God, the reestablished atonement (atonement) of the holy God and reborn, redeemed, regenerated, restored, raised-up man.

5. It teaches the lengths to which selfish men, wicked men, the dupes of the devil will go in order to protect themselves in the practice of their hypocrisy, their cunning devilry and lust of unrighteous, filthy gain.

6. It is teaching today how eagerly wicked men will seek to shift responsibility for their nefarious acts when calm and patient investigation brings those wicked acts to light.

II. JESUS BEFORE THE BAR OF PILATE AND PILATE BEFORE THE BAR OF JESUS

Mark 15:1-5.

Pilate was the only man in Jerusalem who could execute a death sentence on this day. Came the dawn of the day of the crucifixion, and the unjust, illegal, ecclesiastical trials of the night were over. In those trials, His judges had held Jesus worthy of death, because He affirmed that He was One with God, but they had no authority to execute a death penalty. And well they knew that Pilate would never execute a man for claiming that he was one with the God of the Jews. His enemies, therefore, brought against Him the charge that He claimed to be a king.

If they could only make that charge good, Pilate must then proceed against Jesus as a competitor of Caesar and an

First, Hattiesburg Building Fund Near Halfway Mark

More than 200 men attended the kick-off supper at First Church, Hattiesburg, on Friday night, March 16. The building fund is near the halfway mark of the total \$675,000 estimate, and it is believed the goal will be reached by Mother's Day, May 13.

Rev. Wayne Dehoney, pastor of Central Park Church, Birmingham, was the principal speaker.

Spain & Biggers, architects of Jackson, have planned the new church building. James M. Spain, Sr., Boyce H. Biggers and James M. Spain, Jr., were all present at the supper, and reported that the plans will be in readiness by Mother's Day. The property is being cleared, so there will be no delay.

The highlight of the program came when the pastor, Clyde C. Bryan, announced that the following memorial gifts had either been given or promised by members of the congregation: baptism, \$2,000; pulpit furniture, \$1,000; bell, \$1,200; library, \$3,000; pipe organ, \$25,000.

The new building will be one of the largest colonial type structures in the south, having a seating capacity in the sanctuary of 1,400, and accommodating an equal number in its educational plant.

insurrectionist against Rome. Before Pilate they brought this charge against Jesus, shouting that they had no king but Caesar, and that, if Pilate refused to kill Jesus, Pilate would thus declare himself a traitor to Caesar. But Jesus answered Pilate's question, "Art thou a king?" with the declaration, "My kingdom is not of this world," a declaration that certain of our present-day brethren would do well to ponder.

Poor Pilate became convinced that Jesus was guilty of no crime against the Roman law, but he yielded to the clamor of Jesus' enemies as a matter of political expediency. Pilate violated his conscience for convenience, and thus became guilty of sin against God. The wretched man stood that day before the judgement seat of Christ and knew himself to be guilty of the blood of a righteous man. His conscience, speaking for the righteous Judge, declared Pilate guilty of murder.

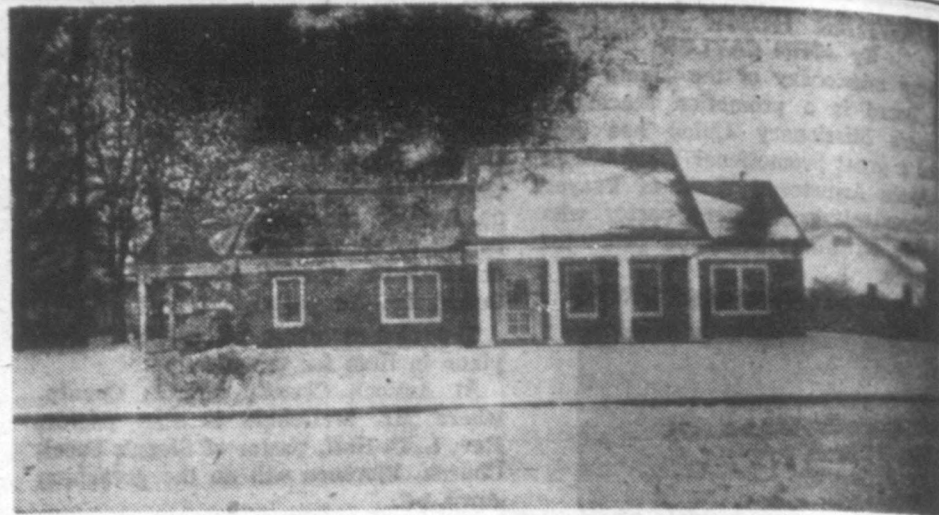
III. THE BURIAL AND THE RESURRECTION

Mark 15:42, 16:7.

So the cross, but mainly the grief of the man of sorrows, wrought His death. Kind hands with which His hands and feet were pierced and took His body from the cross. Kind hands wrapped the body in grave clothes and laid it in another man's tomb. There it lay from night sundown on the sixth day of the week till the dawning of the first day of the next week.

Then occurred the event which turned the seeming triumph of His enemies into the glorious victory of Christ and the eternal victory of His people over death. The resurrection of Jesus is God's own guarantee of eternal life to every one that believeth.

Now is Christ risen from the dead! His risen body is the living pledge, His word of honor is the guarantee that His servants shall be with Him where He is, that they shall serve Him, and that His name shall be on their foreheads. He holds the keys of death and charts the way for all the future of those who put their trust in Him. This is the meaning of every Lord's day that shall dawn till He comes to earth again, with purpose to gather His from all the four winds of heaven.



SHOWN ABOVE is the new pastorium of the First Church Marks. The three-bedroom, two-bath structure was completed at a cost of \$23,300. Landscaping of the grounds is now in process. Dr. Ira D. Eavenson has just completed his third year in the pastorate.

Army Halts Liquor Violation After Ministers Protest

BATON ROUGE, La. —(RNS)— An Army and Navy club at a Louisiana National Guard military base in a dry area of the state was ordered by the Louisiana adjutant general to stop selling liquor after the head of a Baptist college complained.

Dr. Edgar Godbold, president of Louisiana College at Pineville and a Baptist minister, said that sale of the intoxicants was ordered stopped by Brig. Gen. Raymond Hufft, state adjutant general, after he wrote him of the violation.

The club is located at Camp Beauregard and is used by Reserves of the Air Force, Army and Navy.

New Hope Has Study Course

The New Hope Church in Sunflower County has completed a BTU Study Course in which 63 awards were granted. This is the first time that we have known of more awards being granted than there were members in the Training Union, for only 62 are enrolled in BTU.

The study was under the direction of Max Phillips. Rev. E. D. Estes taught the adults, using the book "Every Christian's Job." Rev. Claude Howe taught "Intermediate Fishers," and Mrs. F. A. Wilkerson taught "Jesus Saves" to the Juniors.

—BR—

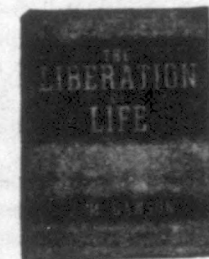
I NEVER SAW A BAPTIST WHO WAS superior to his doctrine.

Recent BROADMAN Releases

The Liberation of Life

J. M. Dawson

\$1.25

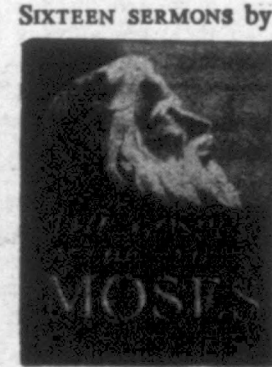


A COLLECTION of seven addresses on the general theme of freedom. The first five discuss primarily religious freedom. The last two describe the deliverance of the soul from the fear of death and the frustration of ignorance concerning the hereafter. All through, faith in Christ as preached by evangelical Christians is magnified in a forthright and convincing manner.

The Gospel According to Moses

W. A. Criswell

\$2.00



SIXTEEN SERMONS by a winsome evangelist and an able Bible interpreter which show the vein of God's grace that runs through the Pentateuch. The author uncovers the timely in the timeless in these vibrant sermons. They are simple in structure, urgent in purpose, and Bible-centered in content. Four sermons come from Genesis, four from Exodus, three from Leviticus, two from Numbers, two from Deuteronomy, and one from Joshua.

BROADMAN BOOKS OF MERIT from BAPTIST BOOK STORE

113 N. PRESIDENT STREET
JACKSON, MISS.

MUSIC DEPARTMENT

W. C. MORGAN, Secretary

JONES MUSIC WEEK GOES OVER TOP

During the week of March 5-11, the Jones County Music School reached an all-time high with 313 enrolled in the class. The book, "Practical Music Lesson," was taught by W. C. Morgan, State Music Secretary. Twenty seven churches co-operated and more than 200 awards will be given. Class periods were held each evening, during which two singing periods were held, giving special emphasis to music suitable for use in the Evangelistic Crusade.

All Classes and events were held in the West Laurel Baptist Church, Rev. H. J. Rushing, pastor. Brother Warren, Associational Music Director, with Rev. C. J. Rushing, Associational Missionary, led out in promoting the music week.

The week of singing and study in music was climaxed with the Music Rally on Sunday afternoon, March 11. Delegations from 20 churches participated in the rally with a total of 366 in attendance. Music was led by the various song leaders and special music was presented by several groups representing the churches in the Association. A hymn playing demonstration was given by Billy Bush, a junior from the West Laurel Baptist Church. Several youth choirs and ensembles presented numbers in the interest of the State Music

Festivals that will be held during 1951. Special emphasis was given to the music of the Evangelistic Crusade and a very interesting report was made on Music and Worship.

During the rally on March 11, the Music Association adopted the constitution and by-laws proposed by the State Music Department. This action came upon a recommendation from the Executive Committee of the Association and makes the Jones Music Association a branch of the State Music Department.

WHAT ABOUT THE PIANO & ORGAN?

If the piano is out of tune, call in a piano tuner before the revival. Be sure it is tuned up to standard pitch-A-440. The average piano tuner will not pull the piano up to standard pitch unless he is requested to do so. If piano and organ are used together, the tuner will tune the piano with the organ. If the people serving at the instruments do a good job, the instruments must be in good condition.

REVIVAL SONG LEADERS

Mr. John Jacobs, Minister of Music and Education, MaGee Baptist Church, will be available for leading the singing the second week of the Evangelistic Crusade.

MINISTERS ORGANIZE FOR LAW ENFORCEMENT

BELONI, Miss.,—(RNS)—Ministers of Humphreys County, impatient with the laxity of gambling and liquor law enforcement, have organized a county ministerial association and called a mass meeting of laymen to consider the problem.

The Rev. Chester A. Molpus, pastor of the Belzoni Baptist Church and a leading figure behind the movement, was elected chairman of the association.

He announced that the mass meeting would be called to "acquaint the public more fully with the general negligence of our law enforcement officers, and to form a Christian citizens league which shall be dedicated to the securing of better law enforcement" and making the county more Christian.

Preachers from four denominations attended the organizational meeting. They resolved to preach on the topic of civic righteousness on Sunday, March 18, the day of the mass meeting.

The league was formed at a mass meeting of over 200 citizens on March 18. Paul Townsend, a local banker, was elected president of the group; Victor Montgomery, vice-president and Elmo Hill, secretary and treasurer.

The stated purpose of the league is five-fold: (1) To sponsor regular mass meetings, (2) To make practical plans for the support of law enforcement officers, (3) To urge upon citizens the Christian obligation and duty of jury service and voting, (4) To organize an educational crusade against beverage alcohol, gambling, and other vices, (5) To consider any other social problem which might be effectively dealt with across denominational lines.

The published campaign pledge made by the present sheriff was read by Pastor Malpus.

The league is composed of Christian citizens as individuals rather than as representatives of churches.

Touchstone Resigns As Alumni President



DR. T. N. TOUCHSTONE

Dr. T. N. Touchstone, president of the Mississippi College Alumni Association, has resigned.

In a letter to the directors of the Alumni Association, Dr. Touchstone gave as his reason the fact that he plans to make the race for the State Superintendent of Education. He feels that this would prevent any embarrassment or criticism at the college or the Alumni Association.

Prof. Boyd E. Golding, who has served as vice-president, has been elevated to the presidency.

RIDGECREST MUSIC WEEK TO BE AUGUST 23-29

Now is the time for all church musicians to make plans and reservations for the great Convention-wide Church Music Conference to be held at Ridgecrest, North Carolina, August 23-29. This conference is open to all singers, pianists, organists, choir directors, ministers of music, pastors, music committeemen, and church leaders. The faculty is composed of 24 recognized leaders of church music.

Classes are planned so as to meet the needs of all musicians regardless of the level of experience and musicianship. There will be elementary, intermediate and advanced sections in voice and conducting; elementary and advanced sections in theory, piano, and organ; three choirs singing easy, medium, and difficult music respectively; an oratorio choir which will sing *The Messiah* on the closing evening; Classes in graded choirs, the organization of the music program and how to grow a musical church; and some miscellaneous classes, conferences, and forums dealing with various problems. All classes, choirs, and discussions will be led by specialized and experienced personnel.

All registrants must be over 15 years of age unless accompanied by their parents, since there are no classes planned for children.

Registrations should be made immediately by forwarding \$2.00 per person to Willard K. Weeks, Manager, Ridgecrest Baptist Assembly, Ridgecrest, North Carolina.

A STUDY ON SBC PASTORAL TENURE to appear in the 1951 Southern Baptist Handbook shows that the average Southern Baptist pastor has served in his present pastorate for three years and one month. Pastors of open country churches have served in their present pastorates for 35 months, compared with 27 months in 1924 when Dr. Alldredge made his study of rural churches. Pastors of urban churches have served an average of four years, two and one-third months.

Some Christians Are Like:

Some Christians are like wheel-barrrows—not good unless pushed.

Some are like canoes—they need to be paddled.

Some are like kites—if you don't keep a string on them they will fly away.

Some are like kittens—they are more contented when petted.

Some are like footballs—you can't tell which way they are going to bounce next.

Some are like balloons—full of wind and likely to blow up unless handled carefully.

Some are like trailers—no good unless pulled.

Some are like buzzards—they get wind of a stink and come quickly.

Others are filled with the Holy Spirit—Thank God for These!

"Some people give their tithe to the church with a string on it. If the church votes to spend money for something they do not like, they yank back the string, saying, 'Nope, you can't use my tithe for that!'"

—Copied.

—BR—

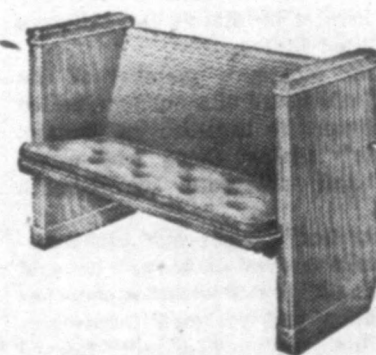
AMONG RECENT VISITORS IN THE

Baptist Building were: Thurman Lewis, Alton R. Zachary, Carl A. Hudson, Clinton; Rev. L. C. Pinnix, Drew; Rev. J. S. Riser, Jr., Webb; Rev. D. H. McCollough, Clinton; Jean Lea and Rev. Theodore E. Lea, Clinton; Rev. John L. Gilbert, Laurel; Rev. John B. Laney, Calhoun City; Rev. B. B. McGee, Calhoun City; Dr. J. L. Neill, Philadelphia; Miss Eunice A. Sandlin, Clarksdale; E. C. Halbert, Brooksville; Rev. C. H. Cutrell, Calhoun City; Rev. Phil J. Walker, Newton; Tommie Lou Scott, Magnolia; James Larry, Garwin, Bobby Joe Alexander, Bob Sykes, Claris Bryant, Charles Edward Reeves, C. H. Bell, Newton; Rev. Joe G. Canzoneri, Vicksburg; Rev. Willis N. Hegwood, Magee; Miss Mary Sue Bannon, Crystal Springs; Rev. Henry J. Bennett, Rev. and Mrs. L. S. Polk, Jackson; Rev. Owen Williams, Utica; R. S. McCrory, Decatur; H. H. Ward, Winona; Loyd Shelton, Robert Slack, Jr., Hattiesburg; W. M. Oliver, Kosciusko; Mrs. Turner Dunn, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Nelson, Clarksdale; Rev. A. B. Pierce, Kosciusko; B. E. Padgett, Harpersville; J. E. Tramel, Batesville; F. H. Miller, Porterville.

—BR—

A NICE LIST OF RENEWAL SUBSCRIPTIONS has been received from Rocky Creek Church, Yazoo County. The list was sent by Mrs. R. B. Shurley, Eben, Route 1.

PEOPLE DON'T BECOME SAINTS IN a rocking chair.



L. L. SAMS & SONS
Designers & Manufacturers of
Distinctive Church Furniture

WACO - - - - TEXAS

Mississippi Representative:
Martin School Equipment Company
836 COMMERCE STREET
P. O. BOX 566, JACKSON, MISS.



REV. CALVIN HAZELWOOD

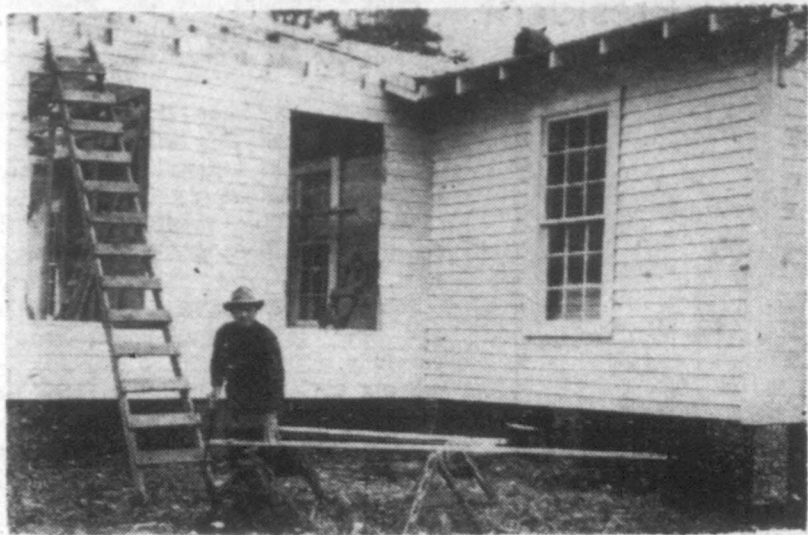
Shown above is Rev. Calvin Hazelwood, pastor of the Kenner Baptist Church, Kenner, La., who will be the visiting evangelist in the Simultaneous revival, March 25-April 1, with the Byram Church. The music will be under the leadership of Rev. Daniel McGreggor, Mississippi College. Rev. Henry J. Bennett is the pastor.

—BR—

REV. MARSHALL BOWLAND OF Paducah, Ky., will do the preaching in the first week of the Crusade at Camp Ground Church in Yalobusha County, and Rev. Wayne Jones, formerly of Camp Ground, will preach during the second week. They will be assisted by Pastor A. M. Tutor. The meeting will be preceded by cottage prayer meetings.

REV. GEORGE A. NICHOLS, Pastor of the First Baptist Church, Opelousas, Louisiana, will be the evangelist in the Pleasant Grove Baptist Church, Lincoln County, in the Simultaneous Revival Crusade. Brother Nichols was one time pastor of the First Baptist Church, Ellisville, Mississippi. Rev. V. J. Moss is pastor of the Pleasant Grove Church. RECIPIENT OF AN HONORARY Doctor of Music degree from Howard Payne College is J. Campbell Wray, director of the School of Music at Southwestern Seminary

Macedonia Adds Second Annex



SHOWN HERE is the annex of the Macedonia Church with Pastor Estes and his hammer and saw.

The Macedonia Church in Winston County, under the leadership of Rev. E. D. Estes, is now completing the second annex to its building. This addition includes six rooms, four for Sunday School rooms, a library and church office. The annex will be ready for the Crusade, March 25.

The first addition under Mr. Estes' leadership included two rooms at the front of the church, with the entire front remodelled and an attractive steeple added and a bell installed. The church has been repainted, outside and in.

Much work has been done on the church lot. A sign has been erected. Dinner tables have been built outside and lights added to the grounds.

Much of the work has been done by Pastor Estes with the assistance of members and friends of the church.

The church has gone from half-time to full-time, a W.M.S. has been organized and the Training Union has added two unions. A church library has been set up, cabinets have been built for it and seven tables built for Sunday School rooms.

The church has been equipped with Broadman hymnals, six butane heaters, and new light fixtures in the auditorium.

In the past year, 18 members have been added, 15 by baptism.

—BR—

Urged To Oppose Sabbath Violations

NEW YORK — (RNS) — American church members who tolerate Sabbath violations were taken to task by a New York lawyer at the 62nd anniversary meeting here of the Lord's Day Alliance of the United States.

C. Oliver Moore, a member of the organization's board of managers, called on churchgoers to organize "a phalanx of defense" against those who would "destroy and desecrate the Sabbath Day."

Charging that "secularism has wrapped its coils around Sunday," he said it was "tragic" that Protestant churches of the nation had resigned themselves to an attitude of "appeasement" toward the desecrators and exploiters of the Sabbath.

The United States, he said, "cannot stay strong without a deep and abiding faith in God as expressed by the proper observance of Sunday."

—BR—

THE BAPTIST RECORD GREATLY appreciates a nice list of subscriptions from Hurricane Church in Attala County. The list was sent by Mrs. Lou Thweatt.

Tutwiler Dedicates \$50,000 Building

The Tutwiler Church has recently completed a two-story brick edifice which is valued at \$50,000. It was constructed at an actual cost of \$35,000, with the members doing much of the work, including decorations of the interior and exterior and refinishing of the furniture.

The educational unit includes 22 rooms with a kitchen and social hall.

The Building Fund now lacks only \$15,000 on the structure. The aim of the church is to have an air-conditioned auditorium, an organ, chimes and a piano in each department.

There have been almost 40 additions since Pastor J. B. Ray came to the church a few months ago.

—BR—

HARMONY S.S. LAUNCHES ENLARGEMENT CAMPAIGN

The Sunday School enlargement campaign of the Harmony church was started early this week when a large group of Sunday School, BTU, and other interested members of the church attended a chicken dinner given in the dining room of the church.

Rev. T. E. Fant, pastor, had charge of the devotional service after which he explained to the group his plans for a five-year program of expansion for the church. All those present agreed with the pastor in his plans and set April 1 as the big day for attendance at the church.

Sunday School officers include: Ance Jordon, general superintendent; Elton Odom, associate superintendent; Mrs. Clint Ratcliff, secretary; Mrs. Christine Barrett, assistant secretary.

—BR—

Bus Bills Die In Two States

OLYMPIA, Wash. — (RNS) — An amended bill that would have permitted parochial pupils to ride public school buses over routes established by public school officials died in the House of Representatives here.

INDIANAPOLIS — A bill to allow the use of state funds partially to reimburse townships for school bus transportation of parochial pupils died with the adjournment of the Indiana General Assembly.

(Editor's Note: See page 3 of last week's issue.

ROBINSON ST. REVIVAL TO HAVE THREE SPEAKERS

The Robinson Street Church, Jackson, will begin its revival on April 1 and continue for one week. Two special speakers have been engaged, one for Monday and another for Thursday. Throughout the other services the pastor, Rev. Leonard Holloway, will do the preaching.

On Monday night, Rev. Glenn Morris, missionary to China, will do the preaching. On Thursday the visiting speaker will be Rev. Clayton Sullivan, pastor of the Broadmoor Church, Jackson, with special emphasis on youth.

This week a study course on soul-winning is being held. Teachers are: Mrs. L. R. Williams and Mrs. E. E. Parker.

—BR—

Anybody Would Pay Three Cents For A Big Donation

By CECIL BEARDEN

Anything worth having is worth working for. Only under adverse circumstances should the pastors or the churches be asked to contribute toward another church's building program. Too often we push the ox in the ditch.

If every church that needed help asked for it the preacher's mail box would be full of "gimmies" every day. Anybody would pay three cents for a large donation. But many get by with sending only a penny post card.

The church that bears the burden for its own improvements appreciates them more. Usually there are enough directly interested in the community to provide adequate facilities. If there isn't enough church spirit in the community why should one who knows nothing of the church feel the need to contribute to an unknown cause?

If a church building has been destroyed by fire or a tornado, the congregation needs help and deserves it. Let's not ruin a good thing by abusing it.

—BR—

Spiritual Food

By C. S. LUMBLEY

"Not by might, nor by power, but by my spirit, saith the Lord." Zech. 4: 6.

As 18,000 Southern Baptist churches go into a Simultaneous Revival March 25-April 8, does it not mean, that instead of just another revival, that our friends and brethren everywhere should earnestly pray that this special effort should become a general awakening—not only in an individual church, but throughout all churches? Let's not have it happen that we go forth in the "energy of the flesh," and NOT in the might and power of the Spirit.

It is a common heritage that people get busy doing many good things in place of "WAITING UPON THE LORD." The results of work done "in the energy of the flesh" will be NOTHING so far as genuine fruit in the Christian's life. A great many church members may be added to the membership, but only in the Spirit of God will result "BRINGING FORTH NEWBORN BABES IN CHRIST."

If we will emphasize (1) The leadership and personal presence of God, the Holy Spirit, (2) That our work and mission is to be concerned with personalities—men and women, boys and girls who are lost, on their way to Hell; (3) That those who are saved shall give themselves "wholly unto God"; (4) That we shall emphasize "WITNESSING," then will the Spirit of God enter in, and not permit any to feel like orphans, without a guide, leader, or helper. No man can follow Christ, and go astray.

RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED AT LEAKE COUNTY QUARTERLY ASSOCIATION HELD AT MARS HILL BAPTIST CHURCH, MARCH 9, 1951.

WHEREAS, our Brother and Mrs. Elton Moore have meant so much to Christ's Work in our County, and

WHEREAS, their interest in the Baptist Program of Leake County was limitless, and

WHEREAS, the untiring efforts of this fine couple have inspired people of Baptist faith throughout the county to higher and nobler efforts.

THEREFORE, be it resolved that we express our appreciation to them for every act and deed in the cause of Christ and his Kingdom.

Be it further resolved that we as a denomination will miss the efforts of these servants of God and that because of the beautiful Christian lives lived by them we shall long remember their sojourn among us.

Be it further resolved that we commend them to the good people of Winfield, Louisiana, knowing that a great service will be extended to the people of that community.

Be it further resolved that a copy of these resolutions be sent to the Baptist Record, a copy to the Carthaginian for publication and a copy mailed to Brother and Mrs. Moore.

Respectfully submitted,

J. C. TAYLOR, Chairman;

W. M. BELL; JODIE MOORE

—BR—

CHANGES AMONG THE CHURCHES BY REV. LEON V. YOUNG, Clinton Called and accepted:

C. H. McClure, Flint, Texas from Carmel.

John H. Gary, North Dixie, Tyler, Texas from Bullard.

Don F. Perkins, Old River, Dayton, Texas.

Arthur Alley, Christoval, Texas. Bill Austin, Youngs Station Church, Fort Worth, Texas.

M. D. Durrence, Antioch Church, Cedar Grove, Ga. from Wanchula, Fla.

W. Otis McClung, Oak Grove Church, Richmond, Va.

T. M. Jones, Tampa, Fla. from Semmes, Ala.

Leslie E. Sanders, Chipley, Fla. from Downtown, Los Angeles, California.

—BR—

Dr. Criswell To Lead Main Street Revival



DR. W. A. CRISWELL

Dr. W. A. Criswell will preach at the Main Street Baptist Church in Hattiesburg in a revival meeting March 25 through April 1. This revival meeting is being held in cooperation with other Baptist Churches throughout the south in the Simultaneous Revival, east of the Mississippi River.

Joe W. Bartlett, a member of the faculty at New Orleans Theological Seminary, will lead the singing during the revival.